

**PART 2: MULTILATERAL TREATIES AND  
OTHER AGREEMENTS**



**AFRICA**

General Act for the repression of the African slave trade.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Brussels July 2, 1890; entered into force August 31, 1891; for the United States April 2, 1892.

27 Stat. 886; TS 383; 1 Bevans 134.

States which are parties:

Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
France<sup>2,4</sup>  
Germany<sup>2</sup>  
Iran  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Liberia  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
Norway  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Spain  
Sweden  
Tanzania<sup>6</sup>  
Turkey<sup>7</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>8</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>2,7</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Replaced, as between contracting parties to the later conventions, by the convention of September 10, 1919 (49 Stat. 3027; TS 877), except for the stipulations contained in article 1 of the 1919 convention, and by the convention of the same date on the subject of the liquor traffic in Africa (46 Stat. 2199; TS 779).

<sup>2</sup> Party to conventions of September 10, 1919.

<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> With exceptions.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Zanzibar. Application to that part of Tanzania which was formerly Tanganyika has apparently not been determined.

<sup>7</sup> With a statement.

<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Revision of the General Act of Berlin of February 26, 1885, and the General Act and Declaration of Brussels of July 2, 1890. Signed at St. Germain-en-Laye September 10, 1919; entered into force July 31, 1920; for the United States October 29, 1934.

49 Stat. 3027; TS 877; 2 Bevans 261; 8 LNTS 27.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Canada  
Ethiopia<sup>1,2</sup>  
France  
Germany  
India  
Italy  
New Zealand  
Portugal  
South Africa  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Adhered to obligations formulated in article 11, paragraph 1, of convention.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With an understanding.

Convention revising the duties imposed by the Brussels convention of June 8, 1899 on spirituous liquors imported into certain regions of Africa.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Brussels November 3, 1906; entered into force December 2, 1907.

35 Stat. 1912; TS 467; 1 Bevans 551.

States which are parties:

Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Germany<sup>2</sup>  
Iran  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Spain  
Sweden  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>2</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Replaced by convention of September 10, 1919 (46 Stat. 2199; TS 779), as between contracting parties to the later convention.

<sup>2</sup> Party to convention of September 10, 1919.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention relating to the liquor traffic in Africa. Signed at St. Germain-en-Laye September 10, 1919; entered into force July 31, 1920; for the United States March 22, 1929.

46 Stat. 2199; TS 779; 2 Bevans 255; 8 LNTS 11.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Canada  
Egypt  
France  
Germany  
India  
Italy  
New Zealand  
Portugal  
South Africa  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>1</sup>

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

**AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK**

(See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)

**AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT FUND**

(See under FINANCE)

**AGRICULTURE**

(See also FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION; PATENTS)

International agreement for the creation at Paris of an international office for epizootics, with annex. Done at Paris January 25, 1924; entered into force January 17, 1925; for the United States July 29, 1975.

26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania\*  
Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo\*  
Congo, Dem. Rep.\*  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
Denmark  
Djibouti\*  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Finland  
France<sup>5</sup>  
Gabon  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
Ghana\*  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Haiti  
Hungary  
India  
Indonesia

## AGRICULTURE (Cont'd)

Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel \*  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan \*  
Kenya  
Korea, Rep.  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho \*  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia \*  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique \*  
Namibia  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Niger  
Nigeria \*  
Norway  
Oman \*  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru \*  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka \*  
Sudan  
Swaziland \*  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania \*  
Thailand  
Togo \*  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam<sup>9</sup>

Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe \*

## NOTES:

\* Listed as members by the International Office for Epizootics.

<sup>1</sup> With statement.

<sup>2</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this agreement. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Extended to New Caledonia.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Falkland Is.

<sup>9</sup> The listing for Viet Nam, the Republic of Viet-Nam (South Viet-Nam), the Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam (North Viet-Nam), the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Viet-Nam, and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam are based on the last notice received by the United States Government from the depositary for the treaty or agreement in question. The United States has been informed by the Socialist Republic of Vietnam that “. . . in principle, the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam is not bound by the treaties, agreements signed by the former Saigon administration. However . . . the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam will consider the agreements, on an individual basis, and will examine adherence to those agreements, treaties which are in the interests of the Vietnamese people . . .”

<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Amended constitution of the International Rice Commission. Approved at the 11th Session of the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization, Rome, November 23, 1961; entered into force November 23, 1961.

13 UST 2403; TIAS 5204; 418 UNTS 334.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Bangladesh  
Benin  
Brazil  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Chad  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
France  
Gambia, The  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Hungary  
India

Indonesia  
Iran  
Italy  
Japan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Laos  
Liberia  
Madagascar  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Mauritania  
Mexico  
Mozambique  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Portugal  
Rwanda  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Thailand  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.

Revised text of the international plant protection convention. Done at Rome November 28, 1979; entered into force April 4, 1991.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia

**AGRICULTURE (Cont'd)**

Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
 Finland  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Indonesia<sup>5</sup>  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Laos  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Morocco  
 Nauru<sup>6</sup>  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand<sup>7</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Sierra Leone  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Sweden  
 Thailand  
 Togo

Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>8</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
 United States<sup>10</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Western Samoa<sup>6</sup>  
 Yemen<sup>11</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>  
 Zambia

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.<sup>2</sup> Extended to Norfolk Is.<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.<sup>5</sup> With declaration.<sup>6</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.<sup>7</sup> Extended to Cook Is. including Niue.<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.<sup>9</sup> Extended to Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, and Jersey.<sup>10</sup> Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

North American plant protection agreement. Signed at Yosemite October 13, 1976; entered into force October 13, 1976. 28 UST 6223; TIAS 8680.

Cooperative agreement supplementary to the North American plant protection agreement of October 13, 1976. Signed at Alexandria October 20, 1991; entered into force October 20, 1991.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Canada  
 Mexico  
 United States

Convention on the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture.<sup>1</sup> Done at Washington March 6, 1979; entered into force December 8, 1980.

32 UST 3779; TIAS 9919.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Bahamas  
 Barbados  
 Belize  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala

Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Jamaica  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 St. Lucia  
 Suriname  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> Replaces as between contracting parties the convention on the Inter-American Institute of Agricultural Sciences of January 15, 1944 (58 Stat. 1169; TS 987; 3 Bevans 881; 161 UNTS 281). Cuba is a party to the 1944 convention only.

**AIRCRAFT**

(See AVIATION; TRADE AND COMMERCE)

**ALIENS**

Convention between the American Republics regarding the status of aliens in their respective territories. Signed at Habana February 20, 1928; entered into force August 29, 1929; for the United States May 21, 1930.

46 Stat. 2753; TS 815; 2 Bevans 710; 132 LNTS 301.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
 Brazil  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Guatemala  
 Haiti  
 Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 United States<sup>2</sup>  
 Uruguay

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservations. The United States does not accept the reservations made by Mexico and does not consider the convention to be in force between the United States and Mexico.

<sup>2</sup> With the exception of articles 3 and 4.

**ANTARCTICA****(See also CONSERVATION)**

Antarctic treaty. Signed at Washington December 1, 1959; entered into force June 23, 1961. 12 UST 794; TIAS 4780; 402 UNTS 71.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Brazil<sup>1</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Colombia  
Cuba  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
Estonia  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
France<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,3,4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1,4</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Hungary  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep. of<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>1,5</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru<sup>1</sup>  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Romania<sup>3</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Spain<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,6</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay<sup>1,3</sup>  
Venezuela

Measures approved under article IX:

Canberra July 24, 1961 (13 UST 1349; TIAS 5094).  
Buenos Aires July 28, 1962 (14 UST 99; TIAS 5274).  
Brussels June 2-13, 1964 (17 UST 991; 34 UST 2223; TIAS 6058 and 10485).  
Santiago November 18, 1966 (20 UST 614; TIAS 6668).  
Paris November 29, 1968 (24 UST 1793; TIAS 7692).  
Tokyo October 30, 1970 (25 UST 266; TIAS 7796).  
Wellington November 10, 1972, except for Recommendation VII-5 (28 UST 1138; TIAS 8500).

Oslo June 20, 1975 (34 UST 2227; TIAS 10486).

London October 7, 1977 (35 UST 1393; TIAS 10735).

Washington October 5, 1979.

Buenos Aires July 7, 1981.

Bonn October 18, 1991.

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Consultative members under article IX of the Treaty.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With statement.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Protocol on environmental protection to the Antarctic treaty, with schedule and annexes.<sup>1</sup>  
Signed at Madrid October 4, 1991; entered into force January 14, 1998.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina<sup>2,3</sup>  
Australia<sup>3</sup>  
Belgium<sup>3</sup>  
Brazil  
Bulgaria<sup>3</sup>  
Chile  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Ecuador<sup>3</sup>  
Finland<sup>3</sup>  
France<sup>3</sup>  
Germany<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
India  
Italy<sup>3</sup>  
Japan<sup>3</sup>  
Korea  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Peru<sup>3</sup>  
Poland  
Russian Fed.  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>3</sup>  
Sweden<sup>3</sup>  
Ukraine<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>3</sup>  
Uruguay

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Annex V adopted October 17, 1991.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>3</sup> Accepts Annex V.

**ANZUS PACT****(See Security Treaty under  
DEFENSE)****ARBITRATION****(See also CLAIMS; INVESTMENT  
DISPUTES; PACIFIC  
SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES)**

Convention on the recognition and enforcement of foreign arbitral awards. Done at New York June 10, 1958; entered into force June 7, 1959; for the United States December 29, 1970.

21 UST 2517; TIAS 6997; 330 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria<sup>1,2</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1,2</sup>  
Argentina<sup>1,2</sup>  
Armenia<sup>1,2</sup>  
Australia<sup>3</sup>  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahrain<sup>1,2</sup>  
Bangladesh  
Barbados<sup>1,2</sup>  
Belarus<sup>1,4</sup>  
Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina<sup>1,2,4</sup>  
Botswana<sup>1,2</sup>  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria<sup>1,4</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>2</sup>  
Central African Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
Chile  
China<sup>1,2,5</sup>  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1,2,4</sup>  
Cyprus<sup>1,2</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1,2,6</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1,2</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1,7</sup>  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2,4,8</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece<sup>1,2</sup>  
Guatemala<sup>1,2</sup>  
Guinea  
Haiti  
Holy See<sup>1,2</sup>  
Honduras  
Hungary<sup>1,2</sup>  
Iceland  
India<sup>1,2</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1,2</sup>

**ARBITRATION (Cont'd)**

Iran  
Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Jordan<sup>9</sup>  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya<sup>1</sup>  
Korea<sup>1,2</sup>  
Kuwait<sup>1,9</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon<sup>1</sup>  
Lesotho  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
Madagascar<sup>1,2</sup>  
Malaysia<sup>1,2</sup>  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco<sup>1,2</sup>  
Mongolia<sup>1,2</sup>  
Morocco<sup>1</sup>  
Mozambique<sup>4</sup>  
Nepal<sup>1,2</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>1,10</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>1,11</sup>  
Niger  
Nigeria<sup>1,2</sup>  
Norway<sup>1,9</sup>  
Oman  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines<sup>1,2</sup>  
Poland<sup>1,2</sup>  
Portugal<sup>4</sup>  
Qatar  
Romania<sup>1,2,4</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Singapore<sup>1</sup>  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>1</sup>  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania<sup>1</sup>  
Thailand  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1,2</sup>  
Tunisia<sup>1,2</sup>  
Turkey<sup>1,2</sup>  
Uganda<sup>1</sup>  
Ukraine<sup>1,4</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4,12</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1,13</sup>  
United States<sup>1,2,14</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan

Venezuela  
Vietnam<sup>1,2,4</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>1,2,4,15</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> With declaration that it will apply the convention to the recognition and enforcement of awards made only in the territory of another contracting state.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration that it will apply the convention only to differences arising out of legal relationships, whether contractual or not, which are considered as commercial under its national law.

<sup>3</sup> Extended to all the external territories for the international relations of which Australia is responsible.

<sup>4</sup> With declaration.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Extended to Faroe Is. and Greenland.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to all French territories.

<sup>8</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> With reservation.

<sup>10</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>11</sup> Not extended to Cook Is. and Niue.

<sup>12</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>13</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, Cayman Is., Gibraltar, Guernsey, and Isle of Man.

<sup>14</sup> Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.

<sup>15</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Inter-American convention on international commercial arbitration. Done at Panama January 30, 1975; entered into force June 16, 1976; for the United States October 27, 1990.

**TIAS****Parties:**

Argentina  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

**ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS**

(See also KOREA)

Agreement concerning an armistice with Romania, with annex and protocol. Signed at Moscow September 12, 1944; entered into force September 12, 1944.

59 Stat. 1712; EAS 490; 3 Bevans 901.

States which are parties:

Romania  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Armistice agreement with Bulgaria, with protocol. Signed at Moscow October 28, 1944; entered into force October 28, 1944.

58 Stat. 1498; EAS 437; 3 Bevans 909; 123 UNTS 223.

States which are parties:

Bulgaria  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Armistice agreement with Hungary, with annex and protocol. Signed at Moscow January 20, 1945; entered into force January 20, 1945.

59 Stat. 1321; EAS 456; 3 Bevans 995; 140 UNTS 397.

States which are parties:

Hungary  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

**ARMS CONTROL**

(See BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS;

ENVIRONMENTAL

MODIFICATION; GAS

WARFARE; NUCLEAR FREE

ZONE, WEAPONS. See under SEABEDS; SPACE)

**ARMS LIMITATION**

Agreement regarding inspections relating to the treaty of December 8, 1987 between the United States and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on the elimination of their inter-

## ARMS LIMITATION (Cont'd)

mediate-range and shorter-range missiles, with annex. Signed at Brussels December 11, 1987; entered into force June 1, 1988.  
TIAS ; 1658 UNTS 363.

Parties:

Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Italy  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Provisional application.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Protocol to the treaty of July 31, 1991, on the reduction and limitation of strategic offensive arms, with related letters.<sup>1</sup> Done at Lisbon May 23, 1992; entered into force December 5, 1994.  
TIAS

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>For Treaty, see ARMS LIMITATION under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

## ARTISTIC EXHIBITIONS

(See CULTURAL RELATIONS)

## ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

(See under FINANCIAL  
INSTITUTIONS)

## ASTRONAUTS

Agreement on the rescue of astronauts, the return of astronauts, and the return of objects launched into outer space. Done at Washington, London, and Moscow April 22, 1968; entered into force December 3, 1968.  
19 UST 7570; TIAS 6599; 672 UNTS 119.

Parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei<sup>1</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Cameroon

Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>2,3</sup>  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
European Space Agency<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Greece  
Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Laos  
Lebanon  
Madagascar  
Maldives  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
New Zealand  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
South Africa  
Spain  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Thailand  
Tonga  
Tunisia  
Ukraine

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>  
Zambia

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>2</sup>The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this agreement. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>Declaration of acceptance.

<sup>5</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup>Extended to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>9</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## ATLANTIC CHARTER

Joint Declaration, known as the Atlantic Charter, by the President of the United States and the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, made on August 14, 1941.

55 Stat. 1600; EAS 236; 3 Bevans 686.

States which have signified their acceptance of the purposes and principles embodied in the Charter:

Australia  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
France  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama

## ATLANTIC CHARTER (Cont'd)

Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Saudi Arabia  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Pre 1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## ATOMIC ENERGY

### (See also NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION; NUCLEAR MATERIALS; NUCLEAR TEST BAN; NUCLEAR WEAPONS—NON- PROLIFERATION)

Agreed declaration on atomic energy by the President of the United States, the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, and the Prime Minister of Canada. Signed at Washington November 15, 1945; entered into force November 15, 1945.

60 Stat. 1479; TIAS 1504; 3 Bevans 1304; 3 UNTS 123.

Agreement as to disposition of rights in atomic energy inventions. Signed at Washington September 24, 1956; entered into force September 24, 1956.

7 UST 2526; TIAS 3644; 253 UNTS 171.

States which are parties:

Canada  
United Kingdom  
United States

Statute of the International Atomic Energy Agency. Done at New York October 26, 1956; entered into force July 29, 1957.

8 UST 1093; TIAS 3873; 276 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria

Angola  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bangladesh  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chile  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malaysia  
Mali

Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Namibia  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>1</sup>  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>7</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vatican City  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Yemen<sup>8</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### Amendments:

October 4, 1961 (14 UST 135; TIAS 5284; 471 UNTS 334).

September 28, 1970 (24 UST 1637; TIAS 7668).

September 27, 1984.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

<sup>2</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

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<sup>5</sup>Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.

<sup>6</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup>With an interpretation and understanding.

<sup>8</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Trilateral agreements signed at Vienna between the International Atomic Energy Agency, the United States, and other countries for the application of safeguards by the International Atomic Energy Agency to equipment, devices and materials supplied under the bilateral agreements for cooperation concerning civil uses of atomic energy between the United States and the following countries:

**Argentina**

June 13, 1969; entered into force July 25, 1969.

20 UST 2629; TIAS 6722; 694 UNTS 233.

**Austria**

August 20, 1969; entered into force January 24, 1970.<sup>1</sup>

21 UST 56; TIAS 6816; 798 UNTS 77.

**Brazil**

March 10, 1967; entered into force October 31, 1968.

19 UST 6322; TIAS 6583; 670 UNTS 109.

Amendment:

July 27, 1972 (23 UST 2526; TIAS 7440).

**China (Taiwan)**

December 6, 1971; entered into force December 6, 1971.<sup>2</sup>

22 UST 1837; TIAS 7228.

**Colombia**

December 9, 1970; entered into force December 9, 1970.

21 UST 2677; TIAS 7010; 795 UNTS 93.

Extension:

March 28, 1977 (28 UST 2404; TIAS 8556).

**India**

January 27, 1971; entered into force January 27, 1971.

22 UST 200; TIAS 7049; 798 UNTS 115.

**Iran**

March 4, 1969; entered into force August 20, 1969.<sup>3</sup>

20 UST 2748; TIAS 6741; 694 UNTS 163.

**Israel**

April 4, 1975; entered into force April 4, 1975.

26 UST 483; TIAS 8051.

Extension:

April 7, 1977 (28 UST 2397; TIAS 8554).

**Korea**

January 5, 1968; entered into force January 5, 1968.

19 UST 4404; TIAS 6435; 637 UNTS 123.

Amendment:

November 30, 1972 (24 UST 829; TIAS 7584).

**Philippines**

July 15, 1968; entered into force July 19, 1968.<sup>4</sup>

19 UST 5426; TIAS 6524; 650 UNTS 287.

**Portugal**

July 11, 1969; entered into force July 19, 1969.<sup>5</sup>

20 UST 2564; TIAS 6718; 694 UNTS 315.

**South Africa**

July 26, 1967; entered into force July 26, 1967.

18 UST 1643; TIAS 6306.

Amendment:

June 20, 1974 (25 UST 1175; TIAS 7848).

**Spain**

December 9, 1966; entered into force December 9, 1966.

17 UST 2351; TIAS 6182; 589 UNTS 55.

Amendment:

June 28, 1974 (25 UST 1261; TIAS 7856).

**Sweden**

March 1, 1972; entered into force March 1, 1972.

23 UST 195; TIAS 7295.<sup>6</sup>

**Switzerland**

February 28, 1972; entered into force February 28, 1972.<sup>5</sup>

23 UST 184; TIAS 7294.

**Turkey**

September 30, 1968; entered into force June 5, 1969.<sup>7</sup>

20 UST 780; TIAS 6692; 694 UNTS 139.

Extension:

June 30, 1981 (33 UST 2782; TIAS 10201; 1271 UNTS 360).

**Venezuela**

March 27, 1968; entered into force March 27, 1968.

19 UST 4385; TIAS 6433; 650 UNTS 195.<sup>8</sup>

Extension:

February 18, 1981 (33 UST 1106; TIAS 10096).

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>Suspended by agreement signed September 21, 1971.

<sup>2</sup>See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Suspended by agreement signed June 19, 1973.

<sup>4</sup>Suspended by agreement signed February 21, 1973.

<sup>5</sup>Suspended by agreement signed September 23, 1980.

<sup>6</sup>Suspended by agreement signed April 14, 1975.

<sup>7</sup>Suspended by agreement signed January 15, 1985.

<sup>8</sup>Suspended by agreement signed September 27, 1983.

Trilateral agreements signed at Vienna between the International Atomic Energy Agency, the United States, and other countries for the application of safeguards pursuant to the non-proliferation treaty of July 1, 1968 (21 UST 483; TIAS 6839; 729 UNTS 161) have been concluded with the following countries:

**Australia**

July 10, 1974; entered into force July 10, 1974.

25 UST 1325; TIAS 7865.

**Austria\***

September 21, 1971; entered into force July 23, 1972.

23 UST 1308; TIAS 7409.

**Denmark**

March 1, 1972; entered into force March 1, 1972.

23 UST 167; TIAS 7289; 873 UNTS 155.

**Greece**

March 1, 1972; entered into force March 1, 1972.

23 UST 169; TIAS 7290.

**Iran\***

June 19, 1973; entered into force May 15, 1974.

25 UST 853; TIAS 7829.

**Norway**

September 25, 1973; entered into force September 25, 1973.

24 UST 2046; TIAS 7721.

**Philippines\***

February 21, 1973; entered into force October 16, 1974.

25 UST 2967; TIAS 7957.

**Portugal\***

September 23, 1980; entered into force September 23, 1980.<sup>1</sup>

32 UST 3311; TIAS 9899; 1266 UNTS 382.

**Sweden\***

April 14, 1975; entered into force May 6, 1975.

26 UST 478; TIAS 8049.

**Switzerland\***

September 23, 1980; entered into force September 23, 1980.<sup>1</sup>

32 UST 3317; TIAS 9900.

**Thailand**

June 27, 1974; entered into force June 27, 1974.

25 UST 1178; TIAS 7849.

**Turkey\***

January 15, 1985; entered into force January 15, 1985.<sup>1</sup>

TIAS 11932.

**Venezuela\***

September 27, 1983; entered into force September 27, 1983.<sup>1,2</sup>

35 UST 2329; TIAS 10793.

**NOTES:**

\*For suspension of previous agreements on safeguards, see entry above.

<sup>1</sup>Also pursuant to the United States-IAEA agreement of November 18, 1977 for the application of safeguards in the United States (32 UST 3059; TIAS 9889).

<sup>2</sup>Also pursuant to the treaty for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America (22 UST 762; TIAS 7137).

Agreements between the International Atomic Energy Agency, the United States, and other countries for the supply of nuclear material or equipment have been concluded with the following countries:<sup>1</sup>

**Argentina-Peru**

Vienna, May 9, 1978; entered into force May 9, 1978, with an exchange of notes signed at Buenos Aires and Washington March 31, April 7, May 10 and 22, 1978. 30 UST 1539; TIAS 9263; 1161 UNTS 305.

**Canada-Jamaica**

Vienna, January 25, 1984; entered into force January 25, 1984.

35 UST 4309; TIAS 10933.

**Colombia**

Vienna and Bogota, May 30, June 7 and 17, 1994; entered into force June 17, 1994.

TIAS ; 1857 UNTS 105.

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## Indonesia

New Delhi, December 7, 1979; entered into force December 7, 1979.  
32 UST 361; TIAS 9705.

## Malaysia

Vienna, September 22, 1980; entered into force September 22, 1980.  
32 UST 2610; TIAS 9863.

## Amendment:

June 12 and July 22, 1981 (33 UST 2785; TIAS 10202).

## Mexico

Vienna, December 18, 1963; entered into force December 18, 1963.

32 UST 3607; TIAS 9906; 490 UNTS 383.  
Mexico City, October 4, 1972; entered into force October 4, 1972.

32 UST 3618; TIAS 9906; 874 UNTS 135.

Vienna, February 12, 1974; entered into force February 12, 1974.

TIAS 10705.

Vienna, June 14, 1974; entered into force June 14, 1974.

TIAS 10705.

Vienna, March 6, 1980; entered into force March 6, 1980.

32 UST 3628; TIAS 9906; 1267 UNTS 51.

## Morocco

Vienna, December 2, 1983; entered into force December 2, 1983.

35 UST 3531; TIAS 10866.

## Thailand

Vienna, September 30, 1986; entered into force September 30, 1986.

TIAS

Yugoslavia<sup>2</sup>

Vienna, June 14, 1974; entered into force June 14, 1974.

32 UST 773; TIAS 9728.

Vienna, January 16, 1980; entered into force July 14, 1980.

32 UST 1228; TIAS 9767; 1266 UNTS 364.  
Belgrade and Vienna, February 26, 1980; entered into force February 26, 1980.

32 UST 773; TIAS 9728.

Vienna, December 14, 15 and 20, 1982; entered into force December 20, 1982.

TIAS 10621.

Vienna, February 23, 1983; entered into force February 23, 1983.

TIAS 10664.

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Similar supply agreements, which have not been printed in the United States treaty series but are on file in the Office of Treaty Affairs, were concluded during the 1960's and early 1970's with the following countries: Argentina, Chile, Finland, Greece, India, Iran, Iraq, Norway, Pakistan, Philippines, Romania, Spain, Turkey, Venezuela, Yugoslavia, and Zaire.

<sup>2</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning a joint project for planning, design, experiment preparation, performance and reporting of reactor safety experiments concerning containment response, with appendices. Dated January 24, 1975; entered

into force for the United States February 20, 1975.

28 UST 629; TIAS 8479.

## Parties:

Denmark

Finland

France

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

Japan<sup>2</sup>

Norway

Sweden

United States

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Subject to approval of funds.

Agreement concerning a joint project for planning, design, experiment preparation, performance and reporting of reactor safety experiments concerning critical flow, with appendices. Dated April 14, 1977; entered into force June 17, 1977.

30 UST 129; TIAS 9184.

## Parties:

Denmark

Finland

France

Netherlands

Norway

Sweden

United States

Agreement amending the agreement of February 11, 1977, between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany in the field of gas-cooled reactor concepts and technology.<sup>1</sup> Done at Bonn September 30, 1977; entered into force September 30, 1977.

29 UST 4039; TIAS 9047; 1178 UNTS 198.

## Parties:

France

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>

Switzerland

United States

## Extension:

January 20 and April 7, 1987.

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> For the original bilateral agreement, see 29 UST 3983; TIAS 9046.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement on research participation and technical exchange in the in-pile CABRI and Annular Core Pulsed Reactor (ACPR) research programs related to fast reactor safety, with memorandum of understanding and appendices. Signed May 2, June 7 and 22, 1978; entered into force June 22, 1978.

30 UST 7545; TIAS 9603.

## Parties:

France

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Arrangement on research participation and technical exchange in a coordinated analytical

and experimental study of the thermohydraulic behavior of emergency core coolant during the refill and reflood phase of a loss-of-coolant accident in the pressurized water reactor. Signed at Washington, Bonn and Tokyo January 25, March 20 and April 18, 1980; entered into force April 18, 1980.

32 UST 2275; TIAS 9835.

## States which are parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

Japan

United States

## Extension:

June 16, July 19 and August 14, 1989.

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement regarding protection of information transferred into the United States in connection with the initial phase of a project for the establishment of a uranium enrichment installation in the United States based upon the gas centrifuge process developed within the three European countries. Signed at Washington April 11, 1990; entered into force April 11, 1990.

TIAS ; 1640 UNTS 369.

## Parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

Netherlands

United Kingdom

United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement on cooperation in the engineering design activities for the International Thermo-nuclear Experimental Reactor. Signed at Washington July 21, 1992; entered into force July 21, 1992.

TIAS

## Parties:

European Atomic Energy Community

Japan

Russian Fed.

United States

Agreement regarding the establishment, construction and operation of a uranium enrichment installation in the United States, with annex and agreed minute. Signed at Washington July 24, 1992; entered into force February 1, 1995.

TIAS

## Parties:

Germany

Netherlands

United Kingdom

United States

Agreement on the establishment of the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization. Done at New York March 9, 1995; entered into force March 9, 1995.

TIAS

## Parties:

European Atomic Energy Community

Japan

Korea

United States

**ATOMIC ENERGY (Cont'd)**

Amendment:

September 19, 1997 (2035 UNTS 280).

Agreement on cooperation among the original members of the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization. Signed at Washington September 19, 1997; entered into force September 19, 1997.

TIAS ; 2032 UNTS 235.

Parties:

Japan  
Korea  
United States

Agreement concerning cooperation on the application of non-proliferation assurances to low enriched uranium transferred to the United States for fabrication into fuel and retransfer to Taiwan, with annex and related side letter. Exchanges of notes at Washington July 21, 1999; entered into force May 1, 2000.

TIAS

Parties:

Germany  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

**AUSTRIA**

State treaty for the reestablishment of an independent and democratic Austria. Signed at Vienna May 15, 1955; entered into force July 27, 1955.

6 UST 2369; TIAS 3298; 217 UNTS 223.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Brazil  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
France  
Mexico  
New Zealand  
Poland  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Memorandum concerning understandings supplementing the protection afforded by the provisions of the Austrian State Treaty with respect to United States and British owned property in Austria. Done at Vienna May 10, 1955; entered into force May 10, 1955.

7 UST 803; TIAS 3560; 273 UNTS 121.

States which are parties:

Austria  
United Kingdom  
United States

**AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC**

Convention on the regulation of inter-American automotive traffic, with annex.<sup>1</sup> Open for signature at the Pan American Union, Washington, December 15, 1943; entered into force July 25, 1944; for the United States October 29, 1946.

61 Stat. 1129; TIAS 1567; 3 Bevans 865.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>2</sup>  
Brazil  
Chile<sup>2 3</sup>  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.<sup>2 3</sup>  
Ecuador<sup>2</sup>  
El Salvador  
Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
Haiti<sup>2</sup>  
Honduras  
Mexico<sup>3</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay<sup>2</sup>  
Peru<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>2 4</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela<sup>2 3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Replaced by convention of September 19, 1949 on road traffic (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487), as between contracting parties to the later convention.

<sup>2</sup>Party to convention of September 19, 1949.

<sup>3</sup>With reservation.

<sup>4</sup>With an understanding and reservation.

Convention on road traffic, with annexes and protocol. Done at Geneva September 19, 1949; entered into force March 26, 1952.

3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22.

States which are parties:

Albania<sup>1</sup>  
Algeria  
Argentina  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Austria<sup>3</sup>  
Bahamas, The<sup>2 4</sup>  
Bangladesh  
Barbados<sup>1 2 5</sup>  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>1 2 4 5</sup>  
Benin  
Botswana<sup>2</sup>  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chile<sup>3</sup>  
China (Taiwan)<sup>6</sup>  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba  
Cyprus<sup>1 2 5</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>3</sup>  
Dominican Rep.<sup>1 2</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt

Fiji<sup>1 2 5</sup>

Finland<sup>3 5</sup>

France<sup>5 7</sup>

Gambia, The<sup>4</sup>

Georgia

Ghana<sup>1 2</sup>

Greece

Grenada<sup>1 4</sup>

Guatemala<sup>1 3 5</sup>

Guyana<sup>1 2 4</sup>

Haiti

Hong Kong<sup>8</sup>

Hungary

Iceland<sup>3</sup>

India<sup>2</sup>

Ireland<sup>2 5</sup>

Israel<sup>3</sup>

Italy

Jamaica<sup>1 2 5</sup>

Japan<sup>3</sup>

Jordan

Korea

Kyrgyz Rep.

Laos

Lebanon

Lesotho

Luxembourg

Macao<sup>8</sup>

Madagascar

Malawi<sup>2</sup>

Malaysia<sup>2</sup>

Mali

Malta<sup>3</sup>

Mauritius<sup>4</sup>

Monaco<sup>5</sup>

Morocco

Namibia

Netherlands<sup>9</sup>

New Zealand<sup>2</sup>

Niger

Norway<sup>3</sup>

Papua New Guinea<sup>1 2 5</sup>

Paraguay

Peru

Philippines<sup>3</sup>

Poland

Portugal<sup>5 10</sup>

Romania<sup>1</sup>

Russian Fed.

Rwanda

St. Lucia<sup>1 2 4 5</sup>

St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1 2 4 5</sup>

San Marino<sup>3</sup>

Senegal<sup>3</sup>

Seychelles<sup>1 2 4 5</sup>

Sierra Leone<sup>1 2 5</sup>

Singapore

Slovak Rep.

South Africa<sup>2 11</sup>

Spain<sup>12</sup>

Sri Lanka

Suriname<sup>4 13</sup>

Swaziland<sup>4</sup>

Sweden<sup>3</sup>

Syrian Arab Rep.

Tanzania<sup>4</sup>

Thailand

Togo<sup>5</sup>

Trinidad & Tobago<sup>2</sup>

Tunisia

Turkey

Uganda

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1 14</sup>

United Kingdom<sup>1 2 5 15</sup>

United States<sup>16</sup>

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Vatican City  
Venezuela<sup>1</sup>  
Vietnam, Rep.<sup>17</sup>  
Western Samoa<sup>2,4</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>18</sup>  
Zambia<sup>4</sup>  
Zimbabwe<sup>2</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> Excluding annexes 1 and 2.  
<sup>3</sup> Excluding annex 1.  
<sup>4</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>5</sup> With a statement.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> Applicable to all overseas territories.  
<sup>8</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.  
<sup>9</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>10</sup> Applicable to all territories.  
<sup>11</sup> Applicable to Namibia.  
<sup>12</sup> Applicable to African localities and provinces.  
<sup>13</sup> Excluding annex 2.  
<sup>14</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section  
<sup>15</sup> Applicable to Cayman Is., Gibraltar, Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, States of Jersey.  
<sup>16</sup> Applicable to all territories for the international relations of which the U.S. is responsible.  
<sup>17</sup> According to *Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General: Status as at 31 December 1985*: "The Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam and the Republic of South Viet-Nam (the latter of which replaced the Republic of Viet-Nam) united on 2 July 1976 to constitute a new State, the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam (Viet Nam). . .  
"At the time of preparing this publication no indication had been received from the Government of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam regarding its position with respect to a possible succession." U.N. Doc. ST/LEG/SER.E/4.  
<sup>18</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention concerning customs facilities for touring. Done at New York June 4, 1954; entered into force September 11, 1957.  
8 UST 1293; TIAS 3879; 276 UNTS 230.

States which are parties:

Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>2</sup>  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>2</sup>  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brunei<sup>2</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Cambodia

Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chile  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Dominica<sup>2</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>1</sup>  
El Salvador  
Fiji  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
France  
Gambia, The<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Grenada<sup>2</sup>  
Guyana<sup>2</sup>  
Haiti<sup>1</sup>  
Hong Kong<sup>4</sup>  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
India  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Lebanon  
Luxembourg  
Macao<sup>4</sup>  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Morocco  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal<sup>7</sup>  
Romania<sup>1</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>2</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>2</sup>  
Senegal<sup>1</sup>  
Seychelles<sup>2</sup>  
Sierra Leone  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname<sup>2</sup>  
Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>8</sup>  
Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Tanzania<sup>1</sup>  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia<sup>1</sup>  
Turkey  
Uganda<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,9</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States<sup>11</sup>

Uruguay  
Viet-Nam, Rep.<sup>12</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>13</sup>

### Amendment:

June 6, 1967 (19 UST 4684; TIAS 6461; 596 UNTS 542).

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>2</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>6</sup> Extended to Cook Is., including Niue.  
<sup>7</sup> Extended to overseas provinces.  
<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Liechtenstein.  
<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>10</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, and St. Helena.  
<sup>11</sup> Extended to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Is.  
<sup>12</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).  
<sup>13</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Customs convention on the temporary importation of private road vehicles. Done at New York June 4, 1954; entered into force December 15, 1957.

8 UST 2097; TIAS 3943; 282 UNTS 249.

States which are parties:

Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>2</sup>  
Australia  
Austria  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>2</sup>  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brunei<sup>2</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chile  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Dominica<sup>2</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
European Community  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gambia, The<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Grenada<sup>2</sup>  
Guyana<sup>2</sup>  
Haiti

## AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC (Cont'd)

Hong Kong<sup>4</sup>  
 Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
 India<sup>1</sup>  
 Iran  
 Ireland  
 Israel<sup>1</sup>  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Luxembourg  
 Malaysia  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
 Morocco  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland<sup>1</sup>  
 Portugal<sup>7</sup>  
 Romania<sup>1</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>2</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>2</sup>  
 Senegal<sup>1</sup>  
 Seychelles<sup>2</sup>  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
 Suriname<sup>2</sup>  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>8</sup>  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tanzania  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia<sup>1</sup>  
 Turkey  
 Uganda  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>19</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
 United States<sup>11</sup>  
 Viet-Nam, Rep.<sup>12</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>13</sup>

Amendment:  
 July 2, 1984 (TIAS 11936).

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>2</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

- <sup>6</sup> Extended to Cook Is., including Niue.  
<sup>7</sup> Applicable to all Portuguese territories.  
<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Liechtenstein.  
<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>10</sup> Extended to Anguilla, British Virgin Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, and St. Helena.  
<sup>11</sup> Extended to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Is.  
<sup>12</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).  
<sup>13</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning the establishing of global technical regulations for wheeled vehicles, equipment and parts which can be fitted and/or be used on wheeled vehicles. Done at Geneva June 25, 1998; entered into force August 25, 2000.

TIAS  
 Parties:  
 Azerbaijan  
 Canada  
 China  
 European Community<sup>1</sup>  
 Finland  
 France  
 Germany  
 Hungary  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Korea  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Slovak Rep.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Turkey  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

### NOTE:

- <sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

## AVIATION

### (See also INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION)

Convention for the unification of certain rules relating to international transportation by air, with additional protocol. Concluded at Warsaw October 12, 1929; entered into force February 13, 1933; for the United States October 29, 1934.

49 Stat. 3000; TS 876; 2 Bevans 983; 137 LNTS 11.  
 States which are parties:<sup>1</sup>  
 Afghanistan  
 Algeria  
 Angola  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia<sup>2</sup>

Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Brunei  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Canada<sup>3</sup>  
 Cape Verde  
 Chile<sup>3</sup>  
 China<sup>4</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Congo<sup>3</sup>  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba<sup>3</sup>  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark, not including Greenland  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia<sup>3 5</sup>  
 Federal Republic of Yugoslavia  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France, including French colonies  
 Gabon  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia  
 Libya

## AVIATION (Cont'd)

Liechtenstein  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia<sup>3</sup>  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Nauru  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan<sup>3</sup>  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines<sup>3</sup>  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 South Africa<sup>8</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tanzania  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
 United States<sup>3</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela<sup>3</sup>  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Western Samoa

Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>11</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> The following states are parties to the convention, as amended, by reason of their adherence to the protocol done at The Hague on September 28, 1955 amending the convention (478 UNTS 371): El Salvador, Grenada, Korea (Rep.), Lithuania, Monaco and Swaziland. The United States is *not* a party to the 1955 protocol.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to Norfolk Is.

<sup>3</sup> With reservation.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Namibia.

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Ascension Is., Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Channel Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, St. Helena, and Turks and Caicos Is.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

Montreal Protocol No. 4 to amend the Convention for the unification of certain rules relating to international carriage by air, signed at Warsaw on October 12, 1929, as amended by the Protocol, done at The Hague on September 28, 1955. Done at Montreal September 25, 1975; entered into force June 14, 1998; for the United States March 4, 1999.

## TIAS

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahrain  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brazil  
 Canada<sup>5</sup>  
 Cape Verde  
 Colombia  
 Croatia  
 Cyprus  
 Denmark  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia  
 Federal Republic of Yugoslavia  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya

Kuwait  
 Lebanon  
 Mauritius  
 Nauru  
 Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>4</sup>  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Portugal  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Singapore  
 Slovenia  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>6</sup>  
 Togo  
 Turkey  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>1,3</sup>  
 United States  
 Uzbekistan

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe and the Netherlands Antilles.

<sup>3</sup> Extended to the Bailiwick of Jersey, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Isle of Man, Anguilla, Bermuda, British Antarctic Territory, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., Saint Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is., United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in the Island of Cyprus.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Tokelau.

<sup>5</sup> With reservation in respect of Art. XXI, paragraph 1(a).

<sup>6</sup> With reservation in respect of Art. XXI, paragraph 1(b).

International air services transit agreement.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Chicago, December 7, 1944;<sup>2</sup> entered into force January 30, 1945; for the United States February 8, 1945. 59 Stat. 1693; EAS 487; 3 Bevans 916; 84 UNTS 389.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belgium  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brunei  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burundi  
 Cameroon  
 Chile  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire

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Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Honduras  
Hong Kong<sup>5</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Macao<sup>5</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Philippines<sup>6</sup>  
Poland  
Portugal  
Rwanda

Senegal  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>6</sup>  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>  
Zambia

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to all territories.

<sup>2</sup>For the convention on international civil aviation of the same date, see INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION (TIAS 1591).

<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

<sup>6</sup>With reservation.

<sup>7</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the international recognition of rights in aircraft. Done at Geneva June 19, 1948; entered into force September 17, 1953. 4 UST 1830; TIAS 2847; 310 UNTS 151.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Azerbaijan  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Cameroon  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Congo  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Haiti  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Iraq  
Italy  
Kenya  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Maldives  
Mali  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico<sup>4</sup>  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>4 5</sup>  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Philippines  
Portugal  
Romania  
Rwanda  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tunisia  
Turkmenistan  
United States<sup>4</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vietnam  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>With reservation. The United States and The Netherlands are unable to accept the reservation made by Mexico and do not regard the convention as in force between Mexico and their governments.

<sup>5</sup>Only for the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**AVIATION (Cont'd)**

Agreement on the joint financing of certain air navigation services in Iceland. Done at Geneva September 25, 1956; entered into force June 6, 1958.

9 UST 711; TIAS 4048; 334 UNTS 13.

## Amendments:

March 27, 1975 (26 UST 1630; TIAS 8122).  
September 27, 1979 (31 UST 5570; TIAS 9673).

November 3, 1982 (TIAS 11534).

Agreement on the joint financing of certain air navigation services in Greenland and the Faroe Islands. Done at Geneva September 25, 1956; entered into force June 6, 1958.

9 UST 795; TIAS 4049; 334 UNTS 89.

## States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Cuba  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan<sup>3</sup>  
Lebanon  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>4</sup>

## Amendments:

June 4, 1963 (14 UST 874; TIAS 5369).

June 14, 1976 (27 UST 4013; TIAS 8421).

September 27, 1979 (31 UST 5570; TIAS 9673).

November 3, 1982. (TIAS 11533).

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With reservation(s)

<sup>4</sup> Subject to the availability of funds.

Convention on offenses and certain other acts committed on board aircraft. Done at Tokyo September 14, 1963; entered into force December 4, 1969.

20 UST 2941; TIAS 6768; 704 UNTS 219.

## States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain<sup>1</sup>  
Bangladesh

Barbados  
Belarus<sup>1 2</sup>  
Belgium  
Belize  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria<sup>3</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1 2 4 5</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>1</sup>  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>1 6</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1 7</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait

Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.<sup>8</sup>  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco<sup>2</sup>  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>9</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea<sup>1</sup>  
Paraguay  
Peru<sup>1</sup>  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania<sup>1</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia<sup>1</sup>  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine<sup>1 2</sup>

## AVIATION (Cont'd)

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1 2 10</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>11</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay<sup>1</sup>  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela<sup>1</sup>  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Western Samoa  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>12</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>13</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> With statement(s).

<sup>3</sup> With declaration.

<sup>4</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>9</sup> Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>10</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>11</sup> Extended to Anguilla.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>13</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the suppression of unlawful seizure of aircraft. (Hijacking) Done at The Hague December 16, 1970; entered into force October 14, 1971.

22 UST 1641; TIAS 7192.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain<sup>2</sup>  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus<sup>2</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bhutan  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil<sup>2</sup>

Brunei  
 Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad  
 Chile  
 China<sup>1 2 3 4</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark<sup>5 6</sup>  
 Djibouti  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
 El Salvador  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia<sup>2 7</sup>  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia, The  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India<sup>2</sup>  
 Indonesia<sup>2</sup>  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein

Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi<sup>2</sup>  
 Malaysia  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Marshall Is.<sup>9</sup>  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia<sup>2</sup>  
 Morocco<sup>2</sup>  
 Nauru  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>10</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Palau  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>2</sup>  
 Paraguay  
 Peru<sup>2</sup>  
 Philippines<sup>2 7</sup>  
 Poland<sup>2</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Qatar<sup>2</sup>  
 Romania<sup>2</sup>  
 Rwanda  
 St. Lucia  
 Samoa  
 Saudi Arabia<sup>2</sup>  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa<sup>2</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia<sup>2</sup>  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2 11</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>12</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>2</sup>

## AVIATION (Cont'd)

Yemen (Aden)<sup>13</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>13</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>14</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With statement.  
<sup>2</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Not extended to Faroe Is.  
<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Greenland.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>8</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>9</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.  
<sup>10</sup> Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>11</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>12</sup> Extended to all territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.  
<sup>13</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.  
<sup>14</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the suppression of unlawful acts against the safety of civil aviation. (Sabotage) Done at Montreal September 23, 1971; entered into force January 26, 1973.  
 24 UST 564; TIAS 7570.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan<sup>1</sup>  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain<sup>1</sup>  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Bhutan  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil<sup>1</sup>  
 Brunei  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon<sup>2</sup>

Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad  
 Chile  
 China<sup>1 2 3 4</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark<sup>5</sup>  
 Djibouti  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt<sup>1</sup>  
 El Salvador  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia<sup>1 6</sup>  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>1</sup>  
 Gabon  
 Gambia, The  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>1 7</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2 7</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras<sup>1</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India<sup>1</sup>  
 Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi<sup>1</sup>  
 Malaysia  
 Maldives  
 Mali

Malta  
 Marshall Is.<sup>8</sup>  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia<sup>1</sup>  
 Morocco<sup>1</sup>  
 Nauru  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>9</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman<sup>1</sup>  
 Pakistan  
 Palau  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>1</sup>  
 Paraguay  
 Peru<sup>1</sup>  
 Philippines  
 Poland<sup>1</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Qatar<sup>1</sup>  
 Romania<sup>1</sup>  
 Rwanda  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Samoa  
 Saudi Arabia<sup>1</sup>  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia<sup>1</sup>  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1 10</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>11</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela<sup>1</sup>  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>1 12</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>12</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>13</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

## AVIATION (Cont'd)

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration.

<sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Faroe Is. and Greenland.

<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>9</sup> Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>10</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>11</sup> Extended to all territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>13</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol for the suppression of unlawful acts of violence at airports serving international civil aviation, supplementary to the convention of September 23, 1971. Done at Montreal February 24, 1988; entered into force August 6, 1989; for the United States November 18, 1994.

### TIAS

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahrain  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador

Estonia  
Ethiopia  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>3</sup>  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Madagascar  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Samoa  
Saudi Arabia  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden

Switzerland  
Syria  
Tajikistan  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>3,4</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vietnam  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Isle of Man.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the marking of plastic explosives for the purpose of detection, with technical annex. Done at Montreal March 1, 1991; entered into force June 21, 1998.

### TIAS

Parties:

Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Argentina<sup>2</sup>  
Austria<sup>2</sup>  
Azerbaijan<sup>2</sup>  
Bahrain<sup>2</sup>  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Bolivia  
Botswana<sup>2</sup>  
Brazil  
Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
Cameroon<sup>2</sup>  
Canada<sup>2</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Chile<sup>2</sup>  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark<sup>2,3</sup>  
Ecuador<sup>2</sup>  
Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
El Salvador<sup>2</sup>  
Eritrea<sup>2</sup>  
Estonia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia<sup>2</sup>  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Gambia<sup>2</sup>  
Georgia<sup>2</sup>  
Germany<sup>2</sup>  
Ghana<sup>2</sup>  
Greece<sup>2</sup>  
Grenada  
Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
Hong Kong<sup>4</sup>  
Hungary<sup>2</sup>  
Iceland  
India<sup>1,2</sup>  
Japan<sup>2</sup>  
Jordan<sup>2</sup>

**AVIATION (Cont'd)**

Kazakhstan<sup>2</sup>  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Kuwait<sup>2</sup>  
 Kyrgyz Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Latvia<sup>2</sup>  
 Lebanon<sup>2</sup>  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania<sup>2</sup>  
 Maldives<sup>2</sup>  
 Mali<sup>2</sup>  
 Malta<sup>2</sup>  
 Mexico<sup>2</sup>  
 Moldova  
 Monaco<sup>2</sup>  
 Mongolia<sup>2</sup>  
 Morocco<sup>2</sup>  
 Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
 Nigeria  
 Norway<sup>2</sup>  
 Oman  
 Palau  
 Panama<sup>2</sup>  
 Peru<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Qatar<sup>2</sup>  
 Romania<sup>2</sup>  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 Samoa<sup>2</sup>  
 Saudi Arabia<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Slovenia<sup>2</sup>  
 South Africa<sup>2</sup>  
 Spain<sup>2</sup>  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan<sup>2</sup>  
 Switzerland<sup>2</sup>  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>2</sup>  
 Tunisia<sup>2</sup>  
 Turkey<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates<sup>2</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
 United States<sup>2</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan<sup>2</sup>  
 Zambia<sup>2</sup>

**NOTES:**<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).<sup>3</sup> Not applicable to the Faroe Is.<sup>4</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

Agreement to ban smoking on international passenger flights. Done at Chicago November 1, 1994; entered into force March 1, 1995.

TIAS 12578.

Parties:

Australia  
 Canada  
 United States

Arrangement on the joint financing of a North Atlantic Height Monitoring System. Signed at Montreal July 31, August 11, 18 and 23, Sep-

tember 28, October 25 and December 12, 1995; entered into force December 12, 1995.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada  
 International Civil Aviation Organization  
 Iceland  
 Ireland  
 Portugal  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

Multilateral agreement on the liberalization of international air transportation, with annex and appendix. Done at Washington May 1, 2001; entered into force December 21, 2001.

TIAS

Parties:

Brunei  
 New Zealand  
 Singapore  
 United States

**BILLS OF LADING**

(See under **MARITIME MATTERS**)

**BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS**

(See also **GAS WARFARE**)

Convention on the prohibition of the development, production and stockpiling of bacteriological (biological) and toxin weapons and on their destruction. Done at Washington, London and Moscow April 10, 1972; entered into force March 26, 1975.

26 UST 583; TIAS 8062; 1015 UNTS 163.

Parties:

Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria<sup>1</sup>  
 Bahamas  
 Bahrain<sup>1</sup>  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bhutan  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Brunei<sup>2</sup>  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Cambodia  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Chile  
 China<sup>3 4 5</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Congo

Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica<sup>2</sup>  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia<sup>6</sup>  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Gambia  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Holy See<sup>4</sup>  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India<sup>4</sup>  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait<sup>4</sup>  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Netherlands<sup>8</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal

## BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS (Cont'd)

Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.<sup>2</sup>  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>4</sup>  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>11</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> With statement.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom. Also extended to New Hebrides; continued application to Vanuatu not determined.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## BRIBERY

Convention on combating bribery of foreign public officials in international business transactions, with annex. Done at Paris December 17, 1997; entered into force February 15, 1999.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

## CAMBODIA

Agreement on a comprehensive political settlement of the Cambodia conflict, with annexes. Done at Paris October 23, 1991; entered into force October 23, 1991.

TIAS

Agreement concerning the sovereignty, independence, territorial integrity and inviolability, neutrality and national unity of Cambodia. Done at Paris October 31, 1991; entered into force October 31, 1991.

TIAS

## CHEMICAL WEAPONS

Convention on the prohibition of the development, production, stockpiling and use of chemical weapons and on their destruction, with an-

nexes. Done at Paris January 13, 1993; entered into force April 29, 1997.

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Colombia  
Cook Is.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Holy See  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lesotho

## CHEMICAL WEAPONS (Cont'd)

Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Samoa  
San Marino  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States

Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

Proces-verbal of rectification of the Spanish original text of the convention on the prohibition of the development, production, stockpiling and use of chemical weapons and on their destruction of January 13, 1993. Done at New York January 10, 1994; entered into force January 10, 1994.

TIAS

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

## CHINA

(Pre 1949 treaties, applicable only to Taiwan.)

Treaty relating to the principles and policies to be followed in matters concerning China. Signed at Washington February 6, 1922; entered into force August 5, 1925.

44 Stat. 2113; TS 723; 2 Bevans 375; 38 LNTS 278.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Canada  
China  
Denmark  
France  
India  
Italy  
Japan  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Portugal  
South Africa  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

Treaty relating to the Chinese customs tariff. Signed at Washington February 6, 1922; entered into force August 5, 1925.

44 Stat. 2122; TS 724; 2 Bevans 381; 38 LNTS 268.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Canada  
China  
Denmark  
France  
India  
Italy  
Japan  
Netherlands

New Zealand  
Norway  
Portugal  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

## CITIZENSHIP

(See NATIONALITY)

## CLAIMS

(See also ARBITRATION;  
INVESTMENT DISPUTES;  
PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF  
DISPUTES)

Convention for the arbitration of pecuniary claims. Signed at Buenos Aires August 11, 1910; entered into force January 1, 1913.

38 Stat. 1799; TS 594; 1 Bevans 763.

States which are parties:

Bolivia  
Brazil  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay  
United States  
Uruguay

Agreement relating to certain *Marechal Joffre* claims, with memorandum of understanding. Signed at Washington October 19, 1948; entered into force October 19, 1948.

62 Stat. 2841; TIAS 1816; 4 Bevans 783; 84 UNTS 201.

States which are parties:

Australia  
France  
United States

## COLLISIONS AT SEA

(See under MARITIME  
MATTERS)

## COMMERCE

(See CUSTOMS; TRADE AND  
COMMERCE)

**COMMODITIES**

(See **COPPER; FOOD AID;  
RUBBER; TIMBER; WHEAT;  
WINE**)

**COMMUNICATIONS  
SYSTEMS**

(See **SATELLITE  
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS;  
TELECOMMUNICATION**)

**CONCILIATION**

(See **PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF  
DISPUTES**)

**CONSERVATION**

(See also **FISHERIES; POLAR  
BEARS; WHALING; WORLD  
HERITAGE**)

Convention on nature protection and wildlife preservation in the Western Hemisphere, with annex. Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, October 12, 1940; entered into force April 30, 1942.

56 Stat. 1354; TS 981; 3 Bevans 630; 161 UNTS 193.

States which are parties:

Argentina <sup>1</sup>  
Brazil  
Chile  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Suriname  
Trinidad & Tobago  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

Convention on international trade in endangered species of wild fauna and flora, with appendices. Done at Washington March 3, 1973; entered into force July 1, 1975.

27 UST 1087; TIAS 8249; 993 UNTS 243.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan

Algeria  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina <sup>1</sup>  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China <sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark <sup>3</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia <sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep. <sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep. <sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy

Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati <sup>6</sup>  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Liberia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname <sup>1</sup>  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Tuvalu <sup>6</sup>  
Uganda  
Ukraine

**CONSERVATION (Cont'd)**

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam  
 Yemen  
 Yugoslavia  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

Amendment:  
 June 22, 1979 (TIAS 11079).

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With statement.  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> Extended to Greenland and the Faroe Is. However, application as regards the Faroe Is. will only be accomplished at the time the authorities of the Faroe Is. will have enacted the appropriate legislation.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>8</sup> Applicable to the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Bailiwick of Jersey, the Isle of Man, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn, St. Helena and dependencies (Tristan da Cunha, Ascension Is.), Cayman Is.

Convention on the conservation of Antarctic marine living resources, with annex for an arbitral tribunal. Done at Canberra May 20, 1980; entered into force April 7, 1982. 33 UST 3476; TIAS 10240.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Belgium  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 European Economic Community  
 Finland  
 France<sup>1</sup>  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Greece  
 India  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Korea  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Norway  
 Peru  
 Poland

Russian Fed.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Uruguay

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With declaration.  
<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention on wetlands of international importance, especially as waterfowl habitat. Done at Ramsar February 2, 1971; entered into force December 21, 1975; for the United States December 18, 1986.

TIAS 11084; 996 UNTS 245.

States which are parties:

Albania  
 Algeria  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Cambodia  
 Canada  
 Chad  
 Chile  
 China<sup>1</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Estonia  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia, The  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau

Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Namibia  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Lucia  
 Senegal  
 Sierra Leone  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Suriname  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>5</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay

**CONSERVATION (Cont'd)**

Uzbekistan  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
Zambia

Amendment:  
December 3, 1982 (TIAS 11084).

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles.

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Anguilla, Bailiwick of Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn Is., St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the conservation of Antarctic seals, with annex. Done at London June 1, 1972; entered into force March 11, 1978. 29 UST 441; TIAS 8826.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Canada  
Chile  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 2</sup>  
Italy  
Japan  
Norway  
Poland  
South Africa  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3 4</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>5</sup>  
United States

Amendment:  
September 12-16, 1988.

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration.

<sup>3</sup> With statement.

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Extended to Channel Is. and Isle of Man.

Convention for the protection of the natural resources and environment of the South Pacific Region, with annex. Done at Noumea November 24, 1986; entered into force August 22, 1990; for the United States July 10, 1991. TIAS

Protocol for the prevention of pollution of the South Pacific Region by dumping, with annexes. Done at Noumea November 24, 1986;

entered into force August 22, 1990; for the United States July 10, 1991. TIAS

Protocol concerning cooperation in combatting pollution emergencies in the South Pacific Region. Done at Noumea November 24, 1986; entered into force August 22, 1990; for the United States July 10, 1991.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
Cook Is.  
Fiji  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Marshall Is.  
Micronesia  
New Zealand  
Papua New Guinea  
Solomon Is.  
United States<sup>2</sup>  
Western Samoa

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>2</sup> With understanding(s).

**CONSULS**

Convention relating to the duties, rights, prerogatives, and immunities of consular agents. Signed at Habana February 20, 1928; entered into force September 3, 1929; for the United States February 8, 1932.

47 Stat. 1976; TS 843; 2 Bevans 714; 155 LNTS 291.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Colombia  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Haiti  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States  
Uruguay

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

Convention on consular relations. Done at Vienna April 24, 1963; entered into force March 19, 1967; for the United States December 24, 1969.

21 UST 77; TIAS 6820; 596 UNTS 261.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain<sup>1</sup>

Bangladesh  
Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burma<sup>1 2</sup>  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1 2</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Fiji<sup>2</sup>  
Finland<sup>1 2</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Gabon  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1 4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Holy See  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland<sup>1</sup>  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq<sup>2</sup>  
Ireland  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait<sup>1</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho<sup>1</sup>  
Liberia

**CONSULS (Cont'd)**

Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta<sup>2</sup>  
 Marshall Is.  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico<sup>2</sup>  
 Micronesia  
 Moldova  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Mozambique<sup>1</sup>  
 Namibia  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>1,5</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway<sup>1</sup>  
 Oman<sup>1</sup>  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar<sup>2</sup>  
 Romania<sup>1</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>6</sup>  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>6</sup>  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia<sup>2</sup>  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.<sup>6</sup>  
 Somalia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Sweden<sup>2</sup>  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Tuvalu  
 Ukraine  
 United Arab Emirates<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>1,7</sup>

United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Viet-Nam, Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
 Western Samoa  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>2,9</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>  
 Zimbabwe

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> With a statement.  
<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.  
<sup>6</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>7</sup> Extended to Anguilla and territories under the sovereignty of the United Kingdom.  
<sup>8</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).  
<sup>9</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.  
<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Optional protocol to the convention on consular relations concerning the compulsory settlement of disputes. Done at Vienna April 24, 1963; entered into force March 19, 1967; for the United States December 24, 1969. 21 UST 325; TIAS 6820; 596 UNTS 487.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Belgium  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Denmark  
 Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Estonia  
 Finland  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Iran  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Laos  
 Liechtenstein  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
 New Zealand

Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Philippines  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
 Suriname  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>  
 United States  
 Viet-Nam, Rep.<sup>5</sup>

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.  
<sup>4</sup> Extended to Anguilla and territories under the sovereignty of the United Kingdom.  
<sup>5</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).

**CONTAINERS**

(See also CUSTOMS)

International convention for safe containers (CSC), with annexes. Done at Geneva December 2, 1972; entered into force September 6, 1977; for the United States January 3, 1979. 29 UST 3707; TIAS 9037; 1064 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Angola  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The  
 Barbados  
 Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
 Canada  
 Chile<sup>2</sup>  
 China<sup>3</sup>  
 Croatia  
 Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark<sup>4</sup>  
 Estonia  
 Nepal  
 Finland  
 France<sup>2</sup>  
 Georgia

**CONTAINERS (Cont'd)**

German Dem. Rep.<sup>1 5</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Greece  
 Guinea  
 Guyana  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Marshall Is.  
 Mexico  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania<sup>1</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1 7</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>2 8</sup>  
 United States  
 Vanuatu  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>9</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>

Amendments to annexes:  
 April 2, 1981 (33 UST 3238; TIAS 10220).  
 June 13, 1983 (35 UST 4156; TIAS 10914).  
 May 17, 1991.

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> With statement.  
<sup>2</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> Not applicable to Greenland and the Faroe Is.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> Not applicable to Cook Is., Niue and Tokelau Is.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Bermuda, Guernsey and Isle of Man.

<sup>9</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**CONTINENTAL SHELF**

(See under **MARITIME MATTERS**)

**COPPER**

Terms of reference of the International Copper Study Group. Done at Geneva February 24, 1989; entered into force January 23, 1992.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina\*  
 Belgium  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 China  
 European Economic Community  
 Finland  
 France  
 Germany  
 Greece  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Italy\*  
 Luxembourg  
 Mexico  
 Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Russian Fed.  
 Spain  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Yugoslavia  
 Zambia

Amendment:  
 June 26, 1992.

**NOTES:**

- \* Provisional application.  
<sup>1</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

**COPYRIGHT**

(See also **PHONOGRAMS; the Appendix**)

Convention on literary and artistic copyrights.<sup>1</sup>  
 Signed at Buenos Aires August 11, 1910; entered into force October 31, 1912.

38 Stat. 1785; TS 593; 1 Bevens 758.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Dominican Rep.

Ecuador  
 Guatemala  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 United States  
 Uruguay

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> Replaces the convention of January 27, 1902 (35 Stat. 1934; TS 491; 1 Bevens 339), which remains in force as between the contracting parties and El Salvador.

Universal copyright convention with three protocols annexed thereto. Done at Geneva September 6, 1952; entered into force September 16, 1955.

6 UST 2731; TIAS 3324; 216 UNTS 132.

States which are parties:

Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
 Andorra<sup>2</sup>  
 Argentina<sup>3</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan<sup>3</sup>  
 Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Bangladesh<sup>3 4</sup>  
 Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
 Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize<sup>1</sup>  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon<sup>1</sup>  
 Canada<sup>4 5</sup>  
 Chile<sup>3 5</sup>  
 China<sup>1 6</sup>  
 Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
 Costa Rica  
 Croatia  
 Cuba<sup>3</sup>  
 Cyprus<sup>3 4</sup>  
 Czech Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Dominican Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Ecuador<sup>3</sup>  
 El Salvador<sup>3 4</sup>  
 Fiji<sup>1</sup>  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>7</sup>  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>1 8 9</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>9</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada<sup>10</sup>  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea<sup>3 4</sup>  
 Guyana<sup>10</sup>  
 Haiti  
 Holy See  
 Hungary<sup>3 5 8</sup>  
 Iceland<sup>1</sup>  
 India  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy

## COPYRIGHT (Cont'd)

Japan  
 Kazakhstan<sup>1</sup>  
 Kenya  
 Korea<sup>3,4</sup>  
 Laos  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia<sup>3</sup>  
 Liechtenstein<sup>3</sup>  
 Luxembourg  
 Malawi<sup>1</sup>  
 Malta<sup>1</sup>  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico<sup>3,5</sup>  
 Moldova<sup>1</sup>  
 Monaco<sup>3</sup>  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand<sup>11</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger<sup>3,4</sup>  
 Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru<sup>3,4</sup>  
 Philippines  
 Poland<sup>3,4</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Russian Fed.<sup>1</sup>  
 Rwanda<sup>3,4</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>10</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal<sup>3,4</sup>  
 Seychelles<sup>10</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 Spain<sup>3,5</sup>  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>3</sup>  
 Tajikistan<sup>1</sup>  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
 Tunisia  
 Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,12</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>13</sup>  
 United States<sup>14</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Yugoslavia<sup>15</sup>  
 Zambia<sup>1</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Party to convention only.

<sup>2</sup> An instrument of ratification deposited by the Spanish Ambassador on behalf of the Bishop of Urgel, Co-Prince of Andorra, does not include Protocol 1. An instrument of ratification deposited by the French Permanent Delegate to UNESCO on behalf of the President of the French Republic, Co-Prince of Andorra, did include Protocol 1.

<sup>3</sup> Not party to Protocol 3.

<sup>4</sup> Not party to Protocol 2.

<sup>5</sup> Not party to Protocol 1.

<sup>6</sup> China is a party to the convention only. However, the convention and the protocols are applicable to Hong Kong. With statement. Also applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.

<sup>8</sup> With a statement.

<sup>9</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>11</sup> Extended to Cook Is. (including Niue) and Tokelau Is.

<sup>12</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>13</sup> Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, and St. Helena.

<sup>14</sup> Extended to Guam, Puerto Rico and Virgin Is.

<sup>15</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Universal copyright convention, as revised, with two protocols annexed thereto. Done at Paris July 24, 1971; entered into force July 10, 1974.

25 UST 1341; TIAS 7868.

States which are parties:

Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
 Bolivia<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
 Cameroon<sup>1</sup>  
 China<sup>1,2,3</sup>  
 Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
 Costa Rica<sup>1</sup>  
 Croatia<sup>1</sup>  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominican Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Finland<sup>1</sup>  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,4</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Grenada<sup>5</sup>  
 Guinea  
 Hungary<sup>6</sup>  
 India  
 Italy<sup>2</sup>  
 Japan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Liechtenstein  
 Mexico<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Monaco  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Panama<sup>1</sup>  
 Peru  
 Poland

Portugal  
 Russian Fed.<sup>7</sup>  
 Rwanda  
 St. Lucia<sup>5</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Saudi Arabia<sup>1</sup>  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles<sup>5</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 Spain<sup>8</sup>  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
 Tunisia  
 United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
 United States<sup>10</sup>  
 Uruguay<sup>1</sup>  
 Vatican City  
 Venezuela<sup>1</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>1,11</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Party to convention only.

<sup>2</sup> With statement.

<sup>3</sup> China is a party to the convention only. However, the convention and the protocols are applicable to Hong Kong. With statement. Also applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>6</sup> Not party to Protocol 1.

<sup>7</sup> Not party to Protocol 2.

<sup>8</sup> With reservation.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to British Virgin Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, and St. Helena.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Guam, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Is.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Berne convention (with appendix) for the protection of literary and artistic works of September 9, 1886, completed at Paris May 4, 1896, revised at Berlin November 13, 1908, completed at Berne March 20, 1914, revised at Rome June 2, 1928, at Brussels June 26, 1948, at Stockholm July 14, 1967, and at Paris July 24, 1971, amended in 1979. Done at Paris July 24, 1971; entered into force for the United States March 1, 1989.<sup>1</sup>

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
 Algeria<sup>2</sup>  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The<sup>3</sup>  
 Bahrain<sup>2</sup>  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia

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Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad<sup>3</sup>  
 Chile  
 China<sup>2,4</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Djibouti  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Estonia  
 Fiji<sup>3</sup>  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Holy See  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia<sup>2</sup>  
 Ireland  
 Israel<sup>3</sup>  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan<sup>2</sup>  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Latvia  
 Lesotho<sup>2</sup>  
 Liberia<sup>2</sup>  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania<sup>2</sup>  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar

Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Mali  
 Malta<sup>3</sup>  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius<sup>2</sup>  
 Mexico  
 Moldova<sup>6</sup>  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia<sup>2</sup>  
 Morocco  
 Namibia  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway<sup>2</sup>  
 Oman<sup>2</sup>  
 Pakistan<sup>3</sup>  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.<sup>2</sup>  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Senegal  
 Singapore<sup>2</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa<sup>3</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka<sup>3</sup>  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania<sup>2</sup>  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>7</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe<sup>3</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> See Appendix: International Copyright Relations of the United States, section under Proclamations, Treaties, and Conventions Establishing Copyright Relations Between the United States and Other Countries for applicable revision of the Berne convention to which any of the below listed countries are party.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>3</sup> Not a party to Articles 1–21.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> With statement.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Isle of Man.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

WIPO copyright treaty. Adopted at Geneva December 20, 1996; entered into force March 6, 2002.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina  
 Belarus  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Croatia  
 Czech Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Gabon  
 Georgia  
 Guatemala\*  
 Guinea  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Indonesia  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Latvia  
 Lithuania  
 Mali  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Mongolia  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Romania  
 St. Lucia  
 Senegal  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Ukraine  
 United States

NOTE:

\* Enters into force for Guatemala February 4, 2003.

**CORRUPTION**

Inter-American convention against corruption. Done at Caracas March 29, 1996; entered into force March 6, 1997; for the United States October 29, 2000.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina  
 Bahamas  
 Belize  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil<sup>1</sup>  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica

## CORRUPTION (Cont'd)

Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
Honduras  
Jamaica  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama<sup>1 2</sup>  
Paraguay  
Peru  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Suriname  
Trinidad & Tobago  
United States<sup>3</sup>  
Uruguay<sup>1</sup>  
Venezuela

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>3</sup> With understanding(s).

Agreement establishing the Group of States against Corruption (GRECO), with appendix. Done at Strasbourg May 1, 1999; entered into force May 1, 1999; for the United States September 20, 2000.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Albania  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Georgia  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Moldova  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

## CULTURAL PROPERTY

Statutes of the International Centre for the Study of the Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property. Done at New Delhi November-December 1956, and revised April 24, 1963 and April 14-17, 1969; entered into force May 10, 1958; for the United States January 20, 1971.

22 UST 19; TIAS 7038.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Chad  
Chile  
China  
Colombia  
Congo  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>1</sup>  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
India  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Lebanon

Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malaysia  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Morocco  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Saudi Arabia  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Thailand  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>  
Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the means of prohibiting and preventing the illicit import, export and transfer of ownership of cultural property. Done at Paris November 14, 1970; entered into force April 24, 1972; for the United States December 2, 1983.

TIAS ; 823 UNTS 231.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bangladesh  
Belarus<sup>2</sup>  
Belize  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina

## CULTURAL PROPERTY (Cont'd)

Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
China  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Honduras  
Hungary  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Italy  
Jordan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Madagascar  
Mali  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Mongolia  
Nepal  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain

Sri Lanka  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,4</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>  
Zambia

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation and understandings.  
<sup>2</sup> With declaration.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## CULTURAL RELATIONS

### (See also WORLD HERITAGE)

Treaty on the protection of artistic and scientific institutions and historic monuments. Signed at Washington April 15, 1935; entered into force August 26, 1935.  
49 Stat. 3267; TS 899; 3 Bevans 254; 167 LNTS 279.

#### States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Mexico  
United States  
Venezuela

Convention concerning artistic exhibitions. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force December 7, 1937.

51 Stat. 206; TS 929; 3 Bevans 383; 188 LNTS 151.

#### States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States  
Venezuela

Convention providing for creation of the Inter-American Indian Institute. Done at Mexico City November 1, 1940; entered into force December 13, 1941.  
56 Stat. 1303; TS 978; 3 Bevans 661.

#### States which are parties:

Argentina  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
United States  
Venezuela

Agreement for facilitating the international circulation of visual and auditory materials of an educational, scientific and cultural character, with protocol. (Beirut agreement) Done at Lake Success July 15, 1949; entered into force August 12, 1954; for the United States January 12, 1967.

17 UST 1578; TIAS 6116; 197 UNTS 3.

#### States which are parties:

Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Congo  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
Ghana  
Greece  
Haiti  
Iran  
Iraq  
Jordan  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malta  
Morocco  
Niger  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Philippines  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Trinidad & Tobago  
United States  
Uruguay  
Yugoslavia<sup>2</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>2</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement on the importation of educational, scientific and cultural materials, with protocol. (Florence agreement) Done at Lake Success November 22, 1950; entered into force May

## CULTURAL RELATIONS (Cont'd)

21, 1952; for the United States November 2, 1966.

17 UST 1835; TIAS 6129; 131 UNTS 25.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Barbados  
 Belgium  
 Belize<sup>1</sup>  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brunei<sup>1</sup>  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Estonia  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,3</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
 Guatemala  
 Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
 Haiti  
 Hong Kong<sup>4</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya<sup>5</sup>  
 Kiribati<sup>1</sup>  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Moldova

Monaco  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>7</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
 San Marino  
 Seychelles<sup>1</sup>  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Suriname<sup>1</sup>  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>5</sup>  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
 Uganda  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States<sup>5</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Vatican City  
 Venezuela  
 Viet Nam, Rep.<sup>9</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe<sup>1</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>2</sup> With a statement.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong. With declaration.

<sup>5</sup> With reservation.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to Cook Is. (including Niue) and Tokelau Is.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Ascension Is., British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Channel Is., Christmas and Cocos (Keeling) Is., Falkland Is. (Colony and Dependencies), Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, St. Helena, Tristan da Cunha, Turks and Caicos Is.

<sup>9</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).

<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the promotion of inter-American cultural relations.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Caracas March 28, 1954; entered into force February 18, 1955; for the United States October 3, 1957.

8 UST 1903; TIAS 3936.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
 Costa Rica  
 Ecuador  
 Haiti  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 United States  
 Venezuela

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> Replaces as between contracting parties the convention of December 23, 1936 (51 Stat. 178; TS 928; 3 Bevans 372; 188 LNTS 125). Parties to the 1936 convention not party to the 1954 convention are: Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua and Peru.

Protocol to the agreement on the importation of educational, scientific and cultural materials of November 22, 1950. Done at Nairobi November 26, 1976; entered into force January 2, 1982; for the United States November 15, 1989.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
 Austria<sup>1</sup>  
 Barbados  
 Belgium  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Bulgaria  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Egypt  
 Estonia  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Greece  
 Holy See  
 Iraq<sup>1</sup>  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Kazakhstan  
 Latvia  
 Lithuania<sup>3</sup>  
 Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
 Moldova  
 Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
 Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 San Marino  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Spain<sup>1</sup>  
 Sweden<sup>3</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>1,5</sup>  
 United States<sup>1</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

## CULTURAL RELATIONS (Cont'd)

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With reservation.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>5</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, St. Helena and dependencies, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Is., Turks and Caicos Is. and Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in the Island of Cyprus.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## CUSTOMS

### (See also AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC; CULTURAL RELATIONS; TRADE AND COMMERCE)

Convention concerning the formation of an International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs, regulations of execution, and final declarations. Signed at Brussels July 5, 1890; entered into force April 1, 1891. 26 Stat. 1518; TS 384; 1 Bevans 172.

Protocol modifying the convention of July 5, 1890 relating to the creation of an International Union for the Publication of Customs Tariffs. Done at Brussels December 16, 1949; entered into force May 5, 1950; for the United States September 15, 1957.

8 UST 1669; TIAS 3922; 72 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Albania<sup>1</sup>  
Algeria  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bolivia<sup>1</sup>  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burundi  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czechoslovakia<sup>3,4</sup>  
Denmark<sup>5</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
Estonia<sup>1</sup>  
Finland

France<sup>5</sup>  
Germany  
Greece  
Haiti  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan  
Korea  
Latvia<sup>1</sup>  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Lithuania<sup>1</sup>  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia  
Malta  
Mexico  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama<sup>1</sup>  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>5</sup>  
Romania  
Rwanda  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Slovak Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Spain<sup>5</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
United States  
Venezuela  
Vietnam<sup>7</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Not party to Protocol.

<sup>2</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>3</sup> Does not recognize that Germany, taken as a whole, is legally bound by signature affixed "for Germany".

<sup>4</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to all territories.

<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on publicity of customs documents. Signed at Santiago May 3, 1923; entered into force July 10, 1925.

44 Stat. 2547; TS 753; 2 Bevans 420; 33 LNTS 11.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
El Salvador  
Haiti  
Panama  
Paraguay  
United States  
Uruguay

Convention establishing a Customs Co-operation Council, with annex and protocol. Done at Brussels December 15, 1950; entered into force November 4, 1952; for the United States November 5, 1970.

22 UST 320; TIAS 7063; 157 UNTS 129; 160 UNTS 267.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria<sup>2</sup>  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bangladesh  
Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chile  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Finland  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece<sup>2</sup>  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Hong Kong  
Hungary  
Iceland<sup>2</sup>

## CUSTOMS (Cont'd)

- India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland<sup>2</sup>  
Israel  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>2</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
New Zealand  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>2</sup>  
Pakistan  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Qatar  
Romania  
Rwanda  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>6</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden<sup>2</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>2</sup>  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>2</sup>  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>
- United Arab Emirates<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>1,2</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe
- NOTES:  
<sup>1</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>2</sup> Also party to the protocol on the European Customs Union Study Group.  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> Extended to Spanish possessions.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.
- International convention to facilitate the importation of commercial samples and advertising material.<sup>1</sup> Done at Geneva November 7, 1952; entered into force November 20, 1955; for the United States October 17, 1957.  
8 UST 1636; TIAS 3920; 221 UNTS 255.  
States which are parties:  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>2</sup>  
Australia  
Austria  
Barbados<sup>2</sup>  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>2</sup>  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Canada  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>3</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica<sup>2</sup>  
Egypt  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gambia, The<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3,4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada<sup>2</sup>  
Guinea  
Guyana<sup>2</sup>  
Haiti  
Hong Kong<sup>5</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India<sup>3</sup>  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Kenya  
Korea, Rep.  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia  
Malta<sup>6</sup>
- Mauritius  
Mexico  
Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>8</sup>  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea<sup>2</sup>  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania<sup>6</sup>  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>2</sup>  
St. Lucia<sup>2</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>2</sup>  
Seychelles<sup>2</sup>  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname<sup>2</sup>  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>9</sup>  
Tanzania<sup>3</sup>  
Thailand  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>3</sup>  
Turkey  
Uganda<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States<sup>11</sup>  
Western Samoa<sup>2</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>  
Zimbabwe<sup>2</sup>
- NOTES:  
<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to articles 3(2) and 23 of the A.T.A. carnet convention of December 6, 1961 (TIAS 6631) the United States gave notice on May 19, 1969, effective June 30, 1969, of acceptance of A.T.A. carnets for goods temporarily imported under the 1952 samples convention.  
<sup>2</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>3</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.  
<sup>6</sup> With declaration.  
<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>8</sup> Extended to Cook Is. (including Niue) and the Tokelau Is.  
<sup>9</sup> Applicable to Liechtenstein.  
<sup>10</sup> Extended to Anguilla, British Virgin Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, and St. Helena.  
<sup>11</sup> Extended to all possessions except American Samoa, Guam, Kingman's Reef, Johnston Is., Midway Is., Virgin Is., and Wake Is.  
<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.
- Customs convention on containers, with annexes and protocol of signature.\* Done at Geneva May 18, 1956; entered into force August 4, 1959; for the United States March 3, 1969.  
20 UST 301; TIAS 6634; 338 UNTS 103.  
States which are parties:  
Algeria<sup>1\*\*</sup>

## CUSTOMS (Cont'd)

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Australia<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
 Austria \*\*  
 Barbados<sup>3</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brunei<sup>3</sup>  
 Bulgaria \*\*  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Canada \*\*  
 Croatia  
 Cuba<sup>1 \*\*</sup>  
 Cyprus<sup>3</sup>  
 Czech Rep. \*\*  
 Denmark<sup>4</sup>  
 Dominica<sup>3</sup>  
 Finland \*\*  
 France  
 Gambia, The<sup>3</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Greece  
 Grenada<sup>3</sup>  
 Hungary \*\*  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Kiribati<sup>3</sup>  
 Luxembourg  
 Malawi  
 Mauritius  
 Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
 Norway  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>3</sup>  
 Poland<sup>1 \*\*</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Romania<sup>1 \*\*</sup>  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>3</sup>  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore<sup>3</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>1 \*\*</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Spain \*\*  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>7 \*\*</sup>  
 Tanzania<sup>3</sup>  
 Trinidad & Tobago \*\*  
 Tuvalu<sup>3</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States<sup>9 \*\*</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>

## NOTES:

\* Replaced as between the contracting parties by the customs convention on containers of December 2, 1972 (see below).

\*\* Parties to the 1972 convention.

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to Christmas Is., Cocos (Keeling) Is., and Norfolk Is.

<sup>3</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Danish customs area, which does not include Faroe Is. and Greenland.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, Bailiwick of Guernsey, Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Jersey, and Montserrat.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to the customs territory of the United States [which, at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico].

<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Customs convention on the temporary importation of professional equipment, with annexes. Done at Brussels June 8, 1961; entered into force July 1, 1962; for the United States March 3, 1969.

20 UST 33; TIAS 6630; 473 UNTS 153.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Belgium  
 Bulgaria  
 Central African Rep.  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
 Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
 Egypt  
 Finland  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 Greece<sup>4</sup>  
 Hong Kong<sup>5</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 Iran  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malta  
 Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Slovak Rep.  
 South Africa  
 Spain<sup>4</sup>  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>7</sup>  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Uganda  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States<sup>9</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>  
 Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to Danish customs area, which does not include Faroe Is. and Greenland.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Not bound by Annex C.

<sup>5</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, and Jersey.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to the customs territory of the United States [which, at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico].

<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Customs convention on the A.T.A. carnet for temporary admission of goods, with annex. Done at Brussels December 6, 1961; entered into force July 30, 1963; for the United States March 3, 1969.

20 UST 58; TIAS 6631; 473 UNTS 219.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Belgium  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 China<sup>1</sup>  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
 Denmark<sup>3</sup>  
 Egypt  
 Finland  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Greece  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Iran  
 Ireland<sup>5</sup>  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Korea  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Luxembourg  
 Malaysia  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Niger  
 Nigeria<sup>5</sup>  
 Norway  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Senegal  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 South Africa<sup>5</sup>

## CUSTOMS (Cont'd)

Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>7</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
United Kingdom<sup>5 8</sup>  
United States<sup>5 9</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Not applicable to Faroe Is. and Greenland.

<sup>4</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>With reservation.

<sup>6</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup>Applicable to Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.

<sup>8</sup>Extended to Bailiwick of Guernsey, Gibraltar, Jersey, and Isle of Man.

<sup>9</sup>Extended to the customs territory of the United States [which at the present time, includes the States, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico].

<sup>10</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Customs convention on containers, 1972, with annexes and protocol.<sup>1</sup> Done at Geneva December 2, 1972; entered into force December 6, 1975; for the United States May 12, 1985. TIAS 12085; 988 UNTS 43.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Australia  
Austria  
Belarus<sup>2</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Burundi  
Canada  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Finland  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2 4</sup>  
Hungary  
Indonesia  
Korea  
Lithuania  
Morocco  
New Zealand<sup>5</sup>  
Poland  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Slovak Rep.  
Spain<sup>6</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>7</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Turkey  
Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2 8</sup>  
United States

Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Replaces as between contracting parties the convention of May 18, 1956 (20 UST 301; TIAS 6634; 338 UNTS 103).

<sup>2</sup>With statement.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>Not applicable to Cook Is., Niue and Tokelau Is.

<sup>6</sup>With reservation.

<sup>7</sup>Applicable to the Principality of Liechtenstein so long as customs union treaty with Switzerland remains in force.

<sup>8</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

International convention on the simplification and harmonization of customs procedures, with annexes.<sup>1</sup> Done at Kyoto May 18, 1973; entered into force September 25, 1974; for the United States January 28, 1984.

TIAS

Parties:

Algeria  
Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Burundi  
Cameroon  
Canada  
China  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
European Communities  
Finland  
France  
Gambia, The  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
India  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Lesotho  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Poland  
Portugal  
Rwanda  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Uganda

United Kingdom<sup>3</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>The convention has thirty-one annexes, not all of which have entered into force and many of which are in force for only certain parties. The United States is not a party to certain annexes and has made reservations concerning others.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Extended to the Channel Is. and the Isle of Man.

<sup>4</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Customs convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets, with annexes.<sup>1</sup> Done at Geneva November 14, 1975; entered into force March 20, 1978; for the United States March 18, 1982.

TIAS ; 1079 UNTS 89.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan<sup>2</sup>  
Albania  
Algeria<sup>2</sup>  
Armenia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>3</sup>  
Estonia  
European Communities  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2 4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary<sup>2</sup>  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Korea  
Kuwait<sup>2</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
Norway  
Poland<sup>2</sup>  
Portugal

**CUSTOMS (Cont'd)**

Romania<sup>2</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>6</sup>  
 Syria  
 Tajikistan  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,7</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>

## Amendments to annexes:

October 20, 1978.  
 October 18, 1979.  
 July 3, 1980.  
 October 23, 1981.  
 October 28, 1983.  
 October 12, 1984.

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Replaces as between parties to the convention the customs convention of January 15, 1959 (20 UST 184; TIAS 6633). Japan is a party to the 1959 convention (with reservations) but not a party to the 1975 convention.

<sup>2</sup>With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup>Extended to Faroe Is.

<sup>4</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>For the Kingdom in Europe, Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup>Applicable to Liechtenstein.

<sup>7</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup>Applicable to the Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Gibraltar and the Isle of Man.

<sup>9</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention on the harmonized commodity description and coding system. Done at Brussels June 14, 1983; entered into force January 1, 1988; for the United States January 1, 1989.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Algeria  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bangladesh  
 Belgium  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Chad  
 China  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>

Denmark  
 European Economic Community  
 Finland  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Greece  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Lesotho  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Portugal  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Slovak Rep.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Uganda  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

## Amendment:

June 24, 1986.

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**DEFENSE**

**(See also GERMANY; NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION)**

Convention on the provisional administration of European colonies and possessions in the

Americas. Signed at Habana July 30, 1940; entered into force January 8, 1942.

56 Stat. 1273; TS 977; 3 Bevans 623; 161 UNTS 253.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Brazil  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Guatemala  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

Act of Habana concerning the provisional administration of European colonies and possessions in the Americas. Signed at Habana July 30, 1940; entered into force July 30, 1940.

54 Stat. 2491; EAS 199; 3 Bevans 619.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Chile<sup>1</sup>  
 Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
 Costa Rica  
 Cuba  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Guatemala  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 United States  
 Uruguay<sup>1</sup>  
 Venezuela<sup>1</sup>

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

Inter-American treaty of reciprocal assistance (Rio Treaty). Done at Rio de Janeiro September 2, 1947; entered into force December 3, 1948.

62 Stat. 1681; TIAS 1838; 4 Bevans 559; 21 UNTS 77.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Cuba  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
 El Salvador

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Haiti

Honduras<sup>2</sup>

Mexico

Nicaragua<sup>2</sup>

Panama

Paraguay

Peru

Trinidad &amp; Tobago

United States

Uruguay

Venezuela

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

Agreement for mutual defense assistance in Indochina, with three annexes. Signed at Saigon December 23, 1950; entered into force December 23, 1950.

3 UST 2756; TIAS 2447; 185 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Cambodia

France

Laos

United States

Vietnam<sup>1</sup>

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

Security treaty (ANZUS Pact). Signed at San Francisco September 1, 1951; entered into force April 29, 1952.<sup>1</sup>

3 UST 3420; TIAS 2493; 131 UNTS 83.

States which are parties:

Australia

New Zealand

United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> As of September 17, 1986, the United States suspended obligations under the treaty as between the United States and New Zealand.

Southeast Asia collective defense treaty, with protocol (SEATO).<sup>1</sup> Signed at Manila September 8, 1954; entered into force February 19, 1955.

6 UST 81; TIAS 3170; 209 UNTS 28.

States which are parties:

Australia

France

New Zealand

Philippines

Thailand

United Kingdom

United States<sup>2</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> By decision of the SEATO Council of September 24, 1975, the Organization ceased to exist as of June 30, 1977. The collective defense treaty remains in force.

<sup>2</sup> With an understanding.

The Pacific Charter. Signed at Manila September 8, 1954; entered into force September 8, 1954.

6 UST 91; TIAS 3171; 209 UNTS 23.

States which are parties:

Australia

France

New Zealand

Pakistan

Philippines

Thailand

United Kingdom

United States

Declaration relating to the Baghdad Pact (CENTO). Signed at London July 28, 1958; entered into force July 28, 1958.

9 UST 1077; TIAS 4084; 335 UNTS 205.

States which are parties:

Iran

Pakistan

Turkey

United Kingdom

United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the four power air senior national representative cooperative long term technology projects. Signed at Washington and Paris April 11 and 27 and June 28, 1988; entered into force June 28, 1988.

TIAS

Agreement concerning the accession of Belgium, the Netherlands and the United Kingdom to the United States-German memorandum of understanding of March 10 and June 13, 1986 for cooperative software development and implementation for the EIFEL system. Signed at Bonn, Brussels, Washington, The Hague and London January 27, March 8, April 5, June 27 and July 19, 1988; entered into force July 19, 1988.

TIAS

Parties:

Belgium

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

Netherlands

United Kingdom

United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative program for full integration of a radar in the AV-8B weapon system and the production and life cycle support of a radar equipped AV-8B (AV-8B Harrier II Plus), with annexes. Signed at Rome, Washington and Madrid August 8 and 31 and September 28, 1990; entered into force September 28, 1990.

TIAS

Parties:

Italy

Spain

United States

Treaty on conventional armed forces in Europe, with protocols and annexes. Done at Paris November 19, 1990; entered into force November 9, 1992.

TIAS

Parties:

Armenia

Azerbaijan

Belarus

Belgium

Bulgaria

Canada

Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>

Denmark

France

Georgia

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2 3</sup>Greece<sup>3</sup>

Hungary

Iceland

Italy

Kazakhstan

Luxembourg

Moldova

Netherlands<sup>4</sup>

Norway

Poland

Portugal

Romania

Russian Fed.

Slovak Rep.

Spain<sup>3</sup>Turkey<sup>5</sup>

Ukraine

United Kingdom<sup>6</sup>

United States

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With declaration(s).<sup>4</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.<sup>5</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to the Bailiwick of Jersey, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Isle of Man, the Dependent Territory of Gibraltar, UK Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in the Island of Cyprus.

Memorandum of understanding for exchanges of information regarding third-generation anti-tank guided missiles. Signed at Washington, London, Paris and Bonn January 30, February 13 and March 7, 1991; entered into force March 7, 1991.

TIAS

Parties:

France

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

United Kingdom

United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Program memorandum of understanding concerning general arrangements for the collaborative program on a multifunctional information distribution system, with supplement no. 1. Signed at Paris, Madrid, Washington, Rome and Bonn June 17, July 4, August 27 and October 4, 1991 and January 7, 1992; entered into force October 4, 1991.

TIAS

Memorandum of understanding on cooperative research, development and demonstration of

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internetworking technologies to improve communications systems network interoperability, with annex. Signed at Bonn, Washington, London and Paris October 22, November 7 and 14 and December 16, 1991; entered into force December 16, 1991.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada  
France  
Germany  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative program for full integration of a radar in the AV-8B weapon system and the production, remanufacture and in-service support of a radar equipped AV-8B (AV-8B HARRIER II PLUS), with annexes and supplemental agreement. Signed at Rome and Washington February 7 and March 4, 1992; entered into force November 12, 1992.

TIAS

Parties:

Italy  
Spain  
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation on an international military satellite for communications (INMILSAT) (Feasibility Study). Done at Washington, London and Paris December 30, 1993, January 6 and 28, 1994; entered into force January 28, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

France  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding for the development of synthetic aperture radar application to support coastal warfare and surface shipwake detection and characterization, with annexes. Signed at Washington, London and Kjeller August 12 and 25 and September 5, 1994; entered into force September 5, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Norway  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding for the technical cooperation program, with appendices. Signed at Melbourne October 24, 1995; entered into force October 24, 1995.

TIAS 12700.

Memorandum of understanding for senior national representatives (ARMY) cooperation and exchanges of information, with attachments and an understanding. Signed at Washington, London, Paris and Bonn October 19, November 13 and 27, 1995 and January 9, 1996; entered into force January 9, 1996.

TIAS

Memorandum of understanding concerning multilateral exchange of research and development information, with appendix. Signed at Washington, Ottawa, London and Canberra October 20, November 15 and December 1, 1995 and January 30 and February 12, 1996; entered into force February 12, 1996.

TIAS

Document agreed among the States Parties to the Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe of November 19, 1990 ('the flank agreement'), with understanding. Adopted at Vienna May 31, 1996; entered into force May 15, 1997.

TIAS

Memorandum of understanding concerning multilateral exchange of military information, with appendix. Signed at Washington, London, Ottawa, Canberra and Wellington November 19, 1996, January 8, March 10 and 26, and April 18, 1997; entered into force April 18, 1997.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
Canada  
New Zealand  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of agreement concerning the Joint Strike Fighter (JSF) requirements validation project, with annex. Signed at Kjeller and Arlington June 10 and 11, 1997; entered into force June 11, 1997.

TIAS

Parties:

Denmark  
Netherlands  
Norway  
United States

Memorandum of understanding for the cooperative production of the Evolved Sea Sparrow Missile (ESSM), with annexes. Signed at Arlington, The Hague, Brussels, Copenhagen, Haakonsværn, Canberra, Lisbon, Rome, Athens, Ankara, Quebec, Madrid and Bonn August 7, 13, 14, 15, 21 and 23, September 8 and 22, October 10, November 7, December 19 and 26, 1997 and January 2, 1998; entered into force December 26, 1997.

TIAS

Agreement for the High speed Anti-Radiation Missile (HARM) AGM-88 upgrade, with annexes. Signed at Washington, Bonn and Rome October 14, 1997, February 5 and March 7, 1998; entered into force March 7, 1998.

TIAS

Parties:

Germany  
Italy  
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the research, development and acquisition of chemical, biological and radiological defense materiel, with appendices. Signed at Washington April 6 and 10 and June 1, 2000; entered into force June 1, 2000.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperation in navigation warfare technology demonstrator and system prototype projects, with annexes. Signed at Washington, Canberra and Bristol May 13 and 31 and July 6, 2001; entered into force July 6, 2001.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
United Kingdom  
United States

**DESERTIFICATION**

United Nations convention to combat desertification in those countries experiencing serious drought and/or desertification, particularly in Africa, with annexes. Done at Paris June 17, 1994; entered into force December 26, 1996; for the United States February 15, 2001.

TIAS

Parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria<sup>1</sup>  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
China  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cook Is.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba

## DESERTIFICATION (Cont'd)

Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia  
European Community  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea  
Kuwait<sup>1</sup>  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia

Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>1 2</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Niue  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Samoa  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syria  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>3</sup>  
United States<sup>4</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yemen  
Zambia

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to British Virgin Is.,

Montserrat, St. Helena and Ascension Is.

<sup>4</sup> With understanding(s).

## DIPLOMATIC AGENTS

(See under TERRORISM)

## DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS

Vienna convention on diplomatic relations.  
Done at Vienna April 18, 1961; entered into  
force April 24, 1964; for the United States De-  
cember 13, 1972.

23 UST 3227; TIAS 7502; 500 UNTS 95.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
Bahrain<sup>2</sup>  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus<sup>1 2</sup>  
Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana<sup>2</sup>  
Brazil  
Bulgaria<sup>1 2</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia<sup>2</sup>  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>2 3 4</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>5</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1</sup>

## DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS (Cont'd)

Gabon  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1 2 6</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 6</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece<sup>1</sup>  
Grenada  
Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti<sup>1</sup>  
Holy See  
Honduras  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq<sup>2</sup>  
Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait<sup>1 2</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya<sup>2</sup>  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta<sup>1 2</sup>  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Mongolia<sup>1 2</sup>  
Morocco<sup>2</sup>  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal<sup>2</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>1 7</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman<sup>1</sup>  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea

Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal  
Qatar<sup>2</sup>  
Romania<sup>1</sup>  
Russian Fed.<sup>1 2</sup>  
Rwanda  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia<sup>2</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan<sup>2</sup>  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania<sup>1</sup>  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga<sup>1</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine<sup>1 2</sup>  
United Arab Emirates<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Venezuela<sup>2</sup>  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>1 2 8</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>2 8</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With statement(s).
- <sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).
- <sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.
- <sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
- <sup>5</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
- <sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
- <sup>7</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.
- <sup>8</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
- <sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Optional protocol to the Vienna convention on diplomatic relations concerning the compulsory settlement of disputes. Done at Vienna April 18, 1961; entered into force April 24, 1964; for the United States December 13, 1972. 23 UST 3374; TIAS 7502; 500 UNTS 241.

### States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Bulgaria  
Cambodia  
Central African Rep.  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Estonia  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia<sup>1</sup>  
France  
Gabon  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Guinea  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Italy  
Japan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Laos  
Liechtenstein  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Philippines  
Seychelles  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tanzania  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With declaration.
- <sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

## DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS (Cont'd)

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>4</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

### DISPUTES

(See INVESTMENT DISPUTES;  
PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF  
DISPUTES)

### DRUGS

(See HEALTH; NARCOTIC  
DRUGS)

### ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT

Convention on the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, with supplementary protocols nos. 1 and 2 and memorandum of understanding on the application of Article 15. Signed at Paris December 14, 1960; entered into force September 30, 1961.

12 UST 1728; TIAS 4891; 888 UNTS 179.

States which are parties:

Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Belgium  
Canada  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Korea  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Slovak Rep.  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Not party to memorandum of understanding.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>With interpretation and explanation.

Agreement for economic and technical assistance to the programs of Central American Integration. Signed at Guatemala October 30, 1965; entered into force September 28, 1967. 18 UST 2770; TIAS 6362.

States which are parties:

Costa Rica  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Nicaragua  
United States

Agreement for the establishment of the International Development Law Institute. Signed at Rome February 5, 1988; entered into force April 28, 1989.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Bulgaria  
China  
Colombia  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
France  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Philippines  
Senegal  
Sudan  
Tunisia  
United States

### EDUCATION

(See under CULTURAL  
RELATIONS)

### ENDANGERED SPECIES

(See CONSERVATION)

### ENERGY

(See also ATOMIC ENERGY)

Agreement concerning the establishment of a coordinating group to direct and coordinate development of international cooperation in the field of energy, and related matters. Communiqué issued at Washington February 13, 1974; entered into force February 13, 1974. 25 UST 223; TIAS 7791.

Parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
European Community

France<sup>1</sup>

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>

Ireland

Italy

Japan

Luxembourg

Netherlands

Norway

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development  
United Kingdom  
United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>France does not accept point 9 and first three paragraphs of point 10.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperative information exchange relating to the development of solar heating and cooling systems in buildings. Formulated at Odeillo, France October 1-4, 1974; entered into force July 1, 1975.

26 UST 2932; TIAS 8202.

Parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Spain  
United Kingdom  
United States

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement on an international energy program, including establishment of the International Energy Agency. Done at Paris November 18, 1974; entered into force provisionally November 18, 1974; definitively January 19, 1976.

27 UST 1685; TIAS 8278.

States which are parties:<sup>1</sup>

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,3</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey

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United Kingdom<sup>5</sup>  
United States

Amendment:  
February 5, 1975 (27 UST 1817; TIAS 8278).

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>Although not a party to the agreement, Norway participates in the work of the Agency in accordance with an agreement of November 7, 1974 between the Government of Norway and the International Energy Agency.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>With declaration.

<sup>4</sup>Extended to The Bailiwick of Guernsey and the Isle of Man.

Long-term cooperation program in the field of energy. Done at Paris January 30, 1976; entered into force March 8, 1976.

27 UST 231; TIAS 8229.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of a project on the fluidised combustion of coal, with annexes. Done at Paris November 20, 1975; entered into force November 20, 1975.

33 UST 2131; TIAS 10177.

Parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of the economic assessment service for coal, with annex. Done at Paris November 20, 1975; entered into force November 20, 1975.

32 UST 1337; TIAS 9775.

Parties:

Australia

Canada  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Netherlands  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on energy conservation in buildings and community systems, with annexes. Done at Paris March 16, 1977; entered into force March 16, 1977.

TIAS 10553.

Parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Italy  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on energy conservation in heat transfer and heat exchangers, with annexes. Done at Paris June 28, 1977; entered into force June 28, 1977.

TIAS

Parties:

Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on man-made geothermal energy systems, with annex. Done at Paris October 6, 1977; entered into force October 6, 1977.

33 UST 2157; TIAS 10178.

Parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development of plasma wall inter-

action in textor, with annex. Done at Paris October 6, 1977; entered into force October 6, 1977.

33 UST 2181; TIAS 10179.

Parties:

Canada  
European Atomic Energy Community (EURATOM)  
Japan  
Turkey  
United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on superconducting magnets for fusion power, with annex. Done at Paris October 6, 1977; entered into force October 6, 1977.

33 UST 2201; TIAS 10180.

Parties:

European Atomic Energy Community (EURATOM)  
Japan  
Switzerland  
United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on the production of hydrogen from water, with annexes. Done at Paris October 6, 1977; entered into force October 6, 1977.

TIAS

Parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Commission of the European Communities  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Italy  
Japan  
Netherlands  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of a project on small solar power systems, with annexes. Done at Paris October 6, 1977; entered into force October 6, 1977.

TIAS

Parties:

Austria  
Belgium  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Italy  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Supplement to the implementing agreement of October 6, 1977 for the establishment of a project on small solar power systems, with annex. Done at Paris May 22, 1979; entered into force May 22, 1979.

TIAS

**ENERGY (Cont'd)**

## Parties:

Belgium  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Italy  
Spain  
Sweden  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on wind energy conversion systems, with annexes. Done at Paris October 6, 1977; entered into force October 6, 1977.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Canada  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Japan  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for cooperation in the development of large scale wind energy conversion systems. Done at Paris October 6, 1977; entered into force October 6, 1977.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of a project on the treatment of coal gasifier effluent liquors, with annexes. Done at Paris October 17, 1977; entered into force October 17, 1977, effective October 1, 1976. 33 UST 2229; TIAS 10181.

## Parties:

Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on wave power, with annex. Done at Tokyo April 13, 1978; entered into force April 13, 1978.

33 UST 2253; TIAS 10182.

## Parties:

Canada  
Ireland  
Japan

United Kingdom  
United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research, development and demonstration on forestry energy, with annex. Done at Tokyo April 13, 1978; entered into force April 13, 1978.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Ireland  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

Implementing agreement for the establishment of the biomass conversion technical information service. Done at Paris May 24, 1978; entered into force May 24, 1978.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Commission of the European Communities  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
New Zealand  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on advanced heat pump systems, with annex. Done at Paris July 27, 1978; entered into force July 27, 1978.

33 UST 2279; TIAS 10183.

## Parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Italy  
Japan  
Netherlands  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development for energy conservation in cement manufacture, with annex. Done at Paris July 27, 1978; entered into force July 27, 1978.

33 UST 2305; TIAS 10184.

## Parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
New Zealand  
Sweden

United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on energy conservation through energy storage, with annex. Done at Paris September 22, 1978; entered into force September 22, 1978; for the United States February 21, 1979.

33 UST 2325; TIAS 10185.

## Parties:

Belgium  
Commission of the European Communities  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands  
Sweden  
United States<sup>2</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>With an understanding.

Implementing agreement for a program of research, development and demonstration on geothermal equipment. Done at Paris May 22, 1979; entered into force May 22, 1979.

33 UST 2359; TIAS 10186.

## Parties:

Italy  
Mexico  
New Zealand  
United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research, development and demonstration on enhanced recovery of oil, with annex. Done at Paris May 22, 1979; entered into force May 22, 1979.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Austria  
Canada  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Norway  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on high temperature materials for automotive engines, with annex. Done at Paris May 22, 1979; entered into force May 22, 1979.

33 UST 2383; TIAS 10187.

## Parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research, development, and demonstration on hot dry rock technology, with annex. Done at Paris

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September 18, 1979; entered into force October 1, 1979.

33 UST 2408; TIAS 10188.

Parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

Japan

United States

Extension:

September 19, 1983.

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for the establishment of a project on control of nitrogen oxides emissions during coal combustion, with annexes. Done at Paris March 21, 1980; entered into force March 21, 1980.

32 UST 5725; TIAS 10014.

Parties:

Canada

Denmark

Sweden

United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development on radiation damage in fusion materials, with annexes. Done at Paris October 21, 1980; entered into force October 21, 1980.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada

European Atomic Energy Community

Japan

Switzerland

United States

Implementing agreement for a program of energy technology systems analysis, with annex. Done at Paris November 13, 1980; entered into force November 13, 1980.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia

Belgium

Commission of the European Communities

Denmark

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>

Italy

Norway

Sweden

Switzerland

United States

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Implementing agreement for a program of research and development and demonstration on energy conservation in the pulp and paper industry, with annexes. Done at Paris February 18, 1981; entered into force February 18, 1981.

TIAS 10525.

Parties:

Belgium

Canada

Japan

Netherlands

Norway

Spain

Sweden

United Kingdom

United States

Implementing agreement for a program of research, development and demonstration on coal/oil mixtures. Done at Paris March 23, 1981; entered into force March 23, 1981.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada

Japan

Netherlands

Spain

Sweden

United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning the exchange of energy-related information. Done July 27-September 24, 1987; entered into force September 24, 1987.

TIAS

Parties:

Denmark

Finland

Norway

Sweden

United States

**ENVIRONMENT**

United Nations framework convention on climate change, with annexes. Done at New York May 9, 1992; entered into force March 21, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Afghanistan

Albania

Algeria

Angola

Antigua & Barbuda

Argentina

Armenia

Australia

Austria

Azerbaijan

Bahamas

Bahrain

Bangladesh

Barbados

Belarus

Belgium

Belize

Benin

Bhutan

Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Botswana

Brazil

Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>

Burkina Faso

Burma

Burundi

Cambodia

Cameroon

Canada

Cape Verde

Central African Rep.

Chad

Chile

China<sup>2</sup>

Colombia

Comoros

Congo

Congo, Dem. Rep.

Cook Is.

Costa Rica

Cote d'Ivoire

Croatia<sup>1</sup>

Cuba<sup>1</sup>

Cyprus

Czech Rep.

Denmark

Djibouti

Dominica

Dominican Rep.

Ecuador

Egypt

El Salvador

Equatorial Guinea

Eritrea

Estonia

Ethiopia

European Economic Community<sup>1</sup>

Fiji

Finland

Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

France

Gabon

Gambia

Georgia

Germany

Ghana

Greece

Grenada

Guatemala

Guinea

Guinea-Bissau

Guyana

Haiti

Honduras

Hungary<sup>1</sup>

Iceland

India

Indonesia

Iran

Ireland

Israel

Italy

Jamaica

Japan

Jordan

Kazakhstan

Kenya

Kiribati

Korea, Dem. People's Rep.

Korea, Rep.

Kuwait

Kyrgyz Rep.

Laos

Latvia

Lebanon

Lesotho

Liberia

Libya

Liechtenstein

Lithuania

Luxembourg

Madagascar

Malawi

Malaysia

Maldives

Mali

**ENVIRONMENT (Cont'd)**

Malta  
 Marshall Is.  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Micronesia  
 Moldova  
 Monaco<sup>1</sup>  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Mozambique  
 Namibia  
 Nauru  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Niue  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Palau  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>1</sup>  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Samoa  
 San Marino  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkmenistan  
 Tuvalu  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>

United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam  
 Yemen  
 Yugoslavia  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

Amendment:  
 December 11, 1997.

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.  
<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Bailiwick of Jersey and Isle of Man.

Agreement establishing the Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research. Done at Montevideo May 13, 1992; entered into force March 12, 1994.

**TIAS****Parties:**

Argentina  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Cuba  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Guatemala  
 Jamaica  
 Mexico  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela

North American agreement on environmental cooperation, with annexes. Signed at Mexico, Washington and Ottawa September 8, 9, 12 and 14, 1993; entered into force January 1, 1994.

**TIAS****Parties:**

Canada  
 Mexico  
 United States

**ENVIRONMENTAL MODIFICATION**

Convention on the prohibition of military or any other hostile use of environmental modification techniques, with annex. Done at Geneva May 18, 1977; entered into force October 5, 1978; for the United States January 17, 1980.

31 UST 333; TIAS 9614.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Algeria

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bangladesh  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Benin  
 Brazil  
 Brunei<sup>2</sup>  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Chile  
 Costa Rica  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica  
 Egypt  
 Finland  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guatemala<sup>4</sup>  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Laos  
 Lithuania  
 Malawi  
 Mauritius  
 Mongolia  
 Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Poland  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>2</sup>  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Solomon Is.  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>4</sup>  
 Tajikistan  
 Tunisia  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>9</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>9</sup>

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> With declaration.

## ENVIRONMENTAL MODIFICATION (Cont'd)

<sup>2</sup>See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>With reservation(s).

<sup>5</sup>Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup>Extended to Cook Is. and Niue.

<sup>7</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup>Extended to Anguilla, Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in the Island of Cyprus and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>9</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

## EPIZOOTICS

(See under AGRICULTURE)

## EUROPEAN COLONIES AND POSSESSIONS

(See under DEFENSE)

## EVIDENCE

(See under JUDICIAL  
PROCEDURE)

## EXHIBITIONS AND EXPOSITIONS

(See under CULTURAL  
RELATIONS)

## EXTRADITION

Convention on extradition.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Montevideo December 26, 1933; entered into force January 25, 1935.

49 Stat. 3111; TS 882; 3 Bevans 152; 165 LNTS 45.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Chile<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>2</sup>  
El Salvador<sup>2</sup>  
Guatemala  
Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
Mexico<sup>2</sup>  
Nicaragua

Panama  
United States<sup>2</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Article 21 provides that the convention "does not abrogate or modify the bilateral or collective treaties, which at the present date are in force between the signatory States. Nevertheless, if any of said treaties lapse, the present Convention will take effect and become applicable immediately among the respective States . . . ." The United States has bilateral extradition treaties with each of the other parties which antedate the convention, except for those with Argentina, Colombia and Mexico.

<sup>2</sup>With reservation.

## FINANCE

### (See also FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS; INVESTMENT DISPUTES; REPARATIONS)

North American framework agreement between the United States Treasury, the Banco de Mexico/Government of Mexico and the Bank of Canada. Signed at Mexico April 22 and 26, 1994; entered into force April 26, 1994.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Canada  
Mexico  
United States

### WORLD WAR II RELATED AGREEMENTS

Accord relating to the liquidation of German property in Switzerland. Exchange of notes at Washington May 25, 1946; entered into force June 27, 1946.

13 UST 1118; TIAS 5058.

States which are parties:

France  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement concerning German property in Switzerland, with related notes. Signed at Bern August 28, 1952; entered into force March 19, 1953.

13 UST 1131; TIAS 5059; 175 UNTS 69.

States which are parties:

France  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement relating to German assets in Sweden. Exchanges of letters at Washington July 18, 1946; entered into force March 28, 1947. 61 Stat. 3191; TIAS 1657; 4 Bevans 88; 125 UNTS 119.

States which are parties:

France  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding regarding German assets in Italy. Signed at Washington August 14, 1947; entered into force August 14, 1947.

61 Stat. 3292; TIAS 1664; 4 Bevans 552; 138 UNTS 111.

States which are parties:

France  
Italy  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding regarding German assets in Italy, with exchange of notes. Signed at Rome March 29, 1957; entered into force March 29, 1957.

8 UST 445; TIAS 3797; 283 UNTS 137.

States which are parties:

France  
Italy  
United Kingdom  
United States

Protocol relating to the transfer to the Italian Government of gold captured by the Allied military forces at Fortezza. Signed at London October 10, 1947; effective September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 3239; TIAS 1658; 4 Bevans 637; 54 UNTS 193.

States which are parties:

Italy  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement relating to the resolution of conflicting claims to German enemy assets. Done at Brussels December 5, 1947; entered into force for the United States January 24, 1951. 2 UST 729; TIAS 2230.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Cuba  
Denmark  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
United States<sup>1</sup>

Extensions and amendments:

February 3, 1949 (2 UST 785; TIAS 2230).

May 10, 1950 (2 UST 791; TIAS 2230).

January 24, 1951 (2 UST 795; TIAS 2230).

April 30, 1952 (3 UST 4254; TIAS 2569).

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

Protocol terminating obligations arising from the accord of May 10, 1948 (62 Stat. 2061; TIAS 1773) regarding German assets in Spain, with exchange of notes. Signed at Madrid August 9, 1958; entered into force July 2, 1959. 11 UST 2274; TIAS 4606; 351 UNTS 398.

States which are parties:

France  
Spain  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement relating to the restitution of gold looted by Germany and transferred to the Bank

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for International Settlements. Effected by exchanges of letters at Washington May 13, 1948, between the Chairman of the Bank for International Settlements and representatives of the United States, United Kingdom, and France; entered into force May 13, 1948.  
62 Stat. 2672; TIAS 1805; 4 Bevans 754; 140 UNTS 187.

Agreement relating to prewar external debts of the German Reich and the debt arising out of economic assistance furnished since May 8, 1945. Exchange of letters at Bonn March 6, 1951; entered into force March 6, 1951.  
2 UST 1249; TIAS 2274; 106 UNTS 141.  
States which are parties:  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement for the submission to an arbitrator of certain claims with respect to gold looted by the Germans from Rome in 1943. Signed at Washington April 25, 1951; entered into force April 25, 1951.  
2 UST 991; TIAS 2252; 91 UNTS 21; 100 UNTS 304.

States which are parties:  
France  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement on German external debts. Signed at London February 27, 1953; entered into force September 16, 1953.  
4 UST 443; TIAS 2792; 333 UNTS 3.  
States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Belgium  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Chile  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Finland  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Liechtenstein  
Luxembourg  
Malta<sup>4</sup>  
Morocco<sup>4</sup>  
Nauru<sup>4</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea<sup>4</sup>  
Peru  
South Africa<sup>7</sup>

Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname<sup>4</sup>  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>8</sup>  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania<sup>4</sup>  
Thailand  
Tunisia<sup>4</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
United States<sup>10</sup>  
Western Samoa<sup>4</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>11</sup>  
Zambia<sup>4</sup>  
Zimbabwe<sup>4</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>Extended to Norfolk Is.  
<sup>2</sup>Extended to all French overseas territories.  
<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup>See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>5</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>6</sup>Extended to Cook Is., including Niue, and Tokelau Is.  
<sup>7</sup>Extended to Namibia.  
<sup>8</sup>With a statement.  
<sup>9</sup>Extended to Channel Is., Falkland Is., and Gibraltar.  
<sup>10</sup>Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.  
<sup>11</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Letter-agreement relating to restitution and liquidation of confiscated property recovered in Italy from German forces ("Rome Treasure"). Letter of April 27, 1954, from Administrator, Paris Reparation Refugee Fund, to the American Ambassador, Rome, accepted by the United States, the United Kingdom, and Italy on July 23, 1954; entered into force July 23, 1954.  
5 UST 2170; TIAS 3080.

Administrative agreement concerning the Arbitral Tribunal and the Mixed Commission under the agreement on German external debts, with annex and exchange of letters. Signed at Bonn December 1, 1954; entered into force December 1, 1954.  
6 UST 865; TIAS 3233; 210 UNTS 197.

States which are parties:

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

**Amendments:**

November 30, 1956 (7 UST 3442; TIAS 3717; 265 UNTS 380).  
August 29, 1960 (11 UST 2324; TIAS 4609; 385 UNTS 378).  
June 26, 1969 (20 UST 2867; TIAS 6762).

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement relating to external debts of the City of Berlin and of public utility enterprises

owned or controlled by Berlin. Exchange of notes at Bonn between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany February 29 and March 2, 1956, with related notes of August 13 and 29, 1955; entered into force March 2, 1956.<sup>1</sup>  
7 UST 635; TIAS 3545; 273 UNTS 209.

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>Notes were exchanged *mutatis mutandis* by the Federal Republic of Germany with France and the United Kingdom.

Memorandum agreement relating to the disposition of certain German assets in Thailand. Signed at Bangkok January 31, 1957; entered into force January 31, 1957.  
8 UST 129; TIAS 3747; 278 UNTS 105.

States which are parties:

France  
Thailand  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement relating to the disposition of certain accounts in Thailand under article 16 of the treaty of peace with Japan. Signed at Washington July 30, 1953; entered into force July 30, 1953.

4 UST 1778; TIAS 2844; 215 UNTS 97.

States which are parties:

Thailand  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement relating to German assets in Portugal and to certain claims regarding monetary gold. Signed at Lisbon October 27, 1958; entered into force October 24, 1959.  
351 UNTS 303.

States which are parties:

France  
Portugal  
United Kingdom  
United States

**MULTILATERAL FUNDS**

Indus Basin Development Fund agreement, with annexes. Done at Karachi September 19, 1960; entered into force January 12, 1961; effective from April 1, 1960.  
12 UST 19; TIAS 4671; 444 UNTS 259.

Supplemental agreement, 1964. Done at Washington March 31, 1964; entered into force April 6, 1964.  
15 UST 396; TIAS 5570; 503 UNTS 388.

Parties:

Australia  
Canada  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development  
New Zealand  
Pakistan  
United Kingdom  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

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Tarbela Development Fund agreement. Done at Washington May 2, 1968; entered into force May 2, 1968.  
19 UST 4866; TIAS 6492; 637 UNTS 4.

Supplemental agreement, 1975. Done at Washington August 15, 1975; entered into force August 15, 1975.  
26 UST 2751; TIAS 8193.

Parties:

Canada

France<sup>1</sup>

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development

International Development Association<sup>2</sup>

Italy

Pakistan

United Kingdom

United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Not a party to the supplemental agreement.

<sup>2</sup>Party to the supplemental agreement only.

Agreement establishing the African Development Fund, with schedules. Done at Abidjan November 29, 1972; entered into force June 30, 1973; for the United States November 18, 1976.

28 UST 4547; TIAS 8605.

Parties:

African Development Bank

Argentina

Austria

Belgium

Brazil

Canada

Denmark<sup>1</sup>

Finland

France

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>

Italy

Japan

Korea, Rep.

Kuwait

Netherlands

Norway<sup>1</sup>

Saudi Arabia

Spain

Sweden<sup>1</sup>

Switzerland

United Arab Emirates

United Kingdom

United States<sup>1</sup>

Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With declaration.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement establishing the International Fund for Agricultural Development. Done at Rome June 13, 1976; entered into force November 30, 1977.

28 UST 8435; TIAS 8765.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan

Albania

Algeria

Angola

Antigua & Barbuda

Argentina

Armenia

Australia

Austria

Azerbaijan

Bangladesh

Barbados

Belgium

Belize

Benin

Bhutan

Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Botswana

Brazil

Burkina Faso

Burma

Burundi

Cambodia

Cameroon

Canada

Cape Verde

Central African Rep.

Chad

Chile

China

Colombia

Comoros

Congo

Congo, Dem. Rep.

Cook Is.

Costa Rica

Cote d'Ivoire

Croatia

Cuba<sup>1 2</sup>

Cyprus

Denmark

Djibouti

Dominica

Dominican Rep.

Ecuador

Egypt

El Salvador

Equatorial Guinea

Eritrea

Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>

Fiji

Finland

Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

France<sup>2</sup>

Gabon

Gambia, The

Georgia

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>

Ghana

Greece

Grenada

Guatemala

Guinea

Guinea-Bissau

Guyana

Haiti

Honduras

Iceland

India

Indonesia

Iran

Iraq

Ireland

Israel

Italy

Jamaica

Japan

Jordan

Kazakhstan

Kenya

Korea, Dem. People's Rep.

Korea, Rep.

Kuwait

Kyrgyz Rep.

Laos

Lebanon

Lesotho

Liberia

Libya

Luxembourg

Madagascar

Malawi

Malaysia

Maldives

Mali

Malta

Mauritania

Mauritius

Mexico

Moldova

Mongolia

Morocco

Mozambique

Namibia

Nepal

Netherlands<sup>5</sup>

New Zealand

Nicaragua

Niger

Nigeria

Norway

Oman

Pakistan

Panama

Papua New Guinea

Paraguay

Peru

Philippines

Portugal

Qatar

Romania<sup>1 2</sup>

Rwanda

St. Kitts & Nevis

St. Vincent & the Grenadines

Sao Tome & Principe

Saudi Arabia

Senegal

Seychelles

Sierra Leone

Solomon Is.

Somalia

South Africa

Spain<sup>1</sup>

Sri Lanka

Sudan

Suriname

Swaziland

Sweden

Switzerland

Syrian Arab Rep.

Tajikistan

Tanzania

Thailand

Togo

Tonga

Trinidad & Tobago

Tunisia

Turkey

Uganda

United Arab Emirates

**FINANCE (Cont'd)**

United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela<sup>2</sup>  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Western Samoa  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>6</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>6</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

Amendment:  
 December 11, 1986 (TIAS 12068).

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With statement.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning the international fund for Ireland, with annexes. Done at Washington September 26, 1986; entered into force September 26, 1986.

TIAS 11401.

Parties:

Ireland  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

(See also FINANCE)

Articles of agreement of the International Monetary Fund, formulated at the Bretton Woods Conference July 1–22, 1944.<sup>1</sup> Opened for signature at Washington December 27, 1945; entered into force December 27, 1945. 60 Stat. 1401; TIAS 1501; 3 Bevans 1351; 2 UNTS 39.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium

Belize  
 Benin  
 Bhutan  
 Bolivia  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Brunei  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad  
 Chile  
 China<sup>2</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Cyprus  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Djibouti  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 East Timor  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Eritrea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia, The  
 Georgia  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Kiribati  
 Korea  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos  
 Latvia

Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Marshall Is.  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Micronesia  
 Moldova  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Mozambique  
 Namibia  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Palau  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Somalia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Cont'd)

Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>6</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>6</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### Amendments:

May 31, 1968 (20 UST 2775; TIAS 6748).  
April 30, 1976 (29 UST 2203; TIAS 8937).  
June 28, 1990 (TIAS 11898).

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> Applicable to all territories.  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Articles of agreement of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, formulated at the Bretton Woods Conference July 1–22, 1944.<sup>1</sup> Opened for signature at Washington December 27, 1945; entered into force December 27, 1945.  
60 Stat. 1440; TIAS 1502; 3 Bevans 1390; 2 UNTS 134.

### States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei

Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
East Timor  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania

Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Cont'd)

Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>5</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>5</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### Amendment:

August 25, 1965 (16 UST 1942; TIAS 5929).

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to all territories.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Articles of agreement of the International Finance Corporation. Done at Washington May 25, 1955; entered into force July 20, 1956. 7 UST 2197; TIAS 3620; 264 UNTS 117.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros

Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique

Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>4</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### Amendments:

September 1, 1961 (12 UST 2945; TIAS 4894; 439 UNTS 318).

August 25, 1965 (24 UST 1760; TIAS 7683).

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Cont'd)

<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement establishing the Inter-American Development Bank, with annexes. Done at Washington April 8, 1959; entered into force December 30, 1959.

10 UST 3029; TIAS 4397; 389 UNTS 69.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Austria  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Finland  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 2</sup>  
Guatemala  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Mexico  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Portugal  
Spain  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

Amendments:

January 28, 1964 (21 UST 1570; TIAS 6920).

March 31, 1968 (19 UST 7381; TIAS 6591).

March 23, 1972 (23 UST 2455; TIAS 7437; 851 UNTS 283).

June 1, 1976 (27 UST 3547; TIAS 8383).

January 27, 1977 (35 UST 3645; TIAS 10875).

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With statements.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.

<sup>4</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Articles of agreement of the International Development Association.<sup>1</sup> Done at Washington January 26, 1960; entered into force September 24, 1960.

11 UST 2284; TIAS 4607; 439 UNTS 249.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
East Timor  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala

Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Cont'd)

Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>5</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>5</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> Applicable to all territories.  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Articles of agreement establishing the Asian Development Bank, with annexes. Done at Manila December 4, 1965; entered into force August 22, 1966.

17 UST 1418; TIAS 6103; 571 UNTS 123.

### Parties:

Afghanistan  
Australia<sup>1 2</sup>  
Austria  
Bangladesh  
Belgium  
Bhutan  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Cook Is.  
Denmark<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 5</sup>  
Hong Kong  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Kiribati

Korea<sup>1</sup>  
Laos  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Maldives  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>1 6</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea  
Philippines<sup>1</sup>  
Singapore<sup>1</sup>  
Solomon Is.  
Spain  
Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden<sup>4</sup>  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Tonga  
United Kingdom<sup>1 4</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>2</sup> With declaration.  
<sup>3</sup> Following the accession of the People's Republic of China, the President of the Bank in letter dated March 15, 1986 declared that "the Republic of China" (which had ratified the Bank's articles of agreement on September 22, 1966 and had maintained its membership thereafter) would be "referred to by the Bank as 'Taipei, China'."  
<sup>4</sup> With a statement.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> Extended only to Kingdom in Europe.

Proces-verbal of rectification of the agreement establishing the Asian Development Bank. Signed at New York November 2, 1967.  
18 UST 2935; TIAS 6387; 608 UNTS 380.

Agreement amending the agreement establishing the African Development Bank,<sup>1</sup> with annexes. Adopted by the Board of Governors at Abidjan May 17, 1979;<sup>2</sup> entered into force May 7, 1982; for the United States January 31, 1983.

### TIAS

States which are parties:

Angola  
Argentina  
Austria<sup>3</sup>  
Belgium<sup>3</sup>  
Benin  
Botswana  
Brazil<sup>3</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cameroun  
Canada<sup>3 4</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
China  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Denmark<sup>3 5</sup>

Djibouti  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Ethiopia<sup>6</sup>  
Finland<sup>3</sup>  
France<sup>3</sup>  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3 4 7</sup>  
Ghana  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
India<sup>3 4</sup>  
Italy<sup>3 4</sup>  
Japan<sup>3 4</sup>  
Kenya  
Korea, Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Kuwait<sup>3</sup>  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Mali  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Netherlands<sup>3 4</sup>  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>3 4 5</sup>  
Portugal<sup>3</sup>  
Rwanda  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia<sup>3</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>3</sup>  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden<sup>3 4 5</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>3 4</sup>  
Tanzania  
Togo  
Tunisia  
Uganda  
United Kingdom<sup>3 4 5</sup>  
United States<sup>3 4</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>3 8</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> The agreement establishing the African Development Bank, done at Khartoum, August 4, 1963, entered into force September 10, 1964 (510 UNTS 3 and 569 UNTS 353 (corr.)).

<sup>2</sup> The amendments to the agreement, which provide for non-regional membership, were adopted at Abidjan by resolution 05-09 of May 17, 1979 of the Board of Governors and concluded at Lusaka on May 7, 1982. Algeria and Libya are parties to the agreement establishing the Bank but not parties to the 1979 amendments.

<sup>3</sup> Non-regional members.

<sup>4</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>5</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Cont'd)

<sup>7</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement establishing the Inter-American Investment Corporation, with annex. Done at Washington November 19, 1984; entered into force March 23, 1986.

TIAS 12087.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Austria  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Belize  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Finland  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Portugal  
Spain  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Convention establishing the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA) with annexes and schedules. Done at Seoul October 11, 1985; entered into force April 12, 1988.

TIAS 12089.

Parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia

Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
East Timor  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos

Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syria  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Western Samoa  
Yemen

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (Cont'd)

Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement establishing the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, with annexes. Done at Paris May 29, 1990; entered into force March 28, 1991.

### TIAS

#### Parties:

Albania  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Estonia  
European Community  
European Investment Bank  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Georgia  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Korea  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.

Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia

## FISHERIES

### (See also CONSERVATION; WHALING)

Convention for the establishment of an Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission, with exchange of notes of March 3, 1950. Signed at Washington May 31, 1949; entered into force March 3, 1950.

1 UST 230; TIAS 2044; 80 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Costa Rica  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
France  
Guatemala  
Japan  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela

Convention on fishing and conservation of living resources of the high seas. Done at Geneva April 29, 1958; entered into force March 20, 1966.

17 UST 138; TIAS 5969; 559 UNTS 285.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Burkina Faso  
Cambodia  
Colombia  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Haiti  
Jamaica  
Kenya  
Lesotho  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
Nigeria  
Portugal  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Solomon Is.

South Africa  
Spain<sup>3</sup>  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Uganda  
United Kingdom<sup>3</sup>  
United States<sup>4</sup>  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>3</sup> With a statement.

<sup>4</sup> With an understanding.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Amended agreement for the establishment of the Indo-Pacific Fisheries Commission.<sup>1</sup> Approved at the 11th Session of the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization, Rome, November 23, 1961; entered into force November 23, 1961.

13 UST 2511; TIAS 5218; 418 UNTS 348.

#### Parties:

Australia  
Bangladesh  
Burma  
Cambodia  
France  
Hong Kong  
India  
Indonesia  
Japan  
Korea  
Malaysia  
Nepal  
New Zealand  
Pakistan  
Philippines  
Sri Lanka  
Thailand  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> Formerly the Indo-Pacific Fisheries Council.

International convention for the conservation of Atlantic tunas. Done at Rio de Janeiro May 14, 1966; entered into force March 21, 1969. 20 UST 2887; TIAS 6767; 673 UNTS 63.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Angola  
Barbados  
Brazil  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
China  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Equatorial Guinea  
European Community  
Gabon  
Ghana  
Guinea  
Honduras  
Iceland

**FISHERIES (Cont'd)**

Japan  
Korea  
Libya  
Mexico  
Morocco  
Namibia  
Panama  
Russian Fed.  
Sao Tome & Principe  
South Africa  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1 2</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela

Amendment:  
July 10, 1984.

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> With statement.

<sup>2</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention on future multilateral cooperation in the northwest Atlantic fisheries. Done at Ottawa October 24, 1978; entered into force January 1, 1979; for the United States November 29, 1995.

TIAS

Parties:

Bulgaria  
Canada  
Cuba  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Estonia  
European Economic Community  
European Union  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Iceland  
Japan  
Korea  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Spain  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3 4</sup>  
United States

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Faroe Is.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to St. Pierre and Miquelon.

<sup>3</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention for the conservation of salmon in the North Atlantic. Done at Reykjavik March 2, 1982; entered into force October 1, 1983. 35 UST 2284; TIAS 10789.

Parties:

Canada  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
European Communities  
Finland

Iceland  
Norway  
Sweden  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United States

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> For the Faroe Is.

<sup>2</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Memoranda of understanding concerning salmonid research and enforcement of the international convention for the high seas fisheries of the North Pacific Ocean. Signed at Vancouver April 9, 1986; entered into force April 9, 1986.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Canada  
Japan  
United States

Treaty on fisheries, with annexes and agreed statement. Done at Port Moresby April 2, 1987; entered into force June 15, 1988.

TIAS 11100.

Parties:

Australia  
Cook Is.  
Fiji  
Kiribati  
Marshall Is.<sup>1</sup>  
Micronesia<sup>2</sup>  
Nauru  
New Zealand<sup>3</sup>  
Niue  
Palau  
Papua New Guinea  
Solomon Is.  
Tonga  
Tuvalu  
United States  
Western Samoa

Amendment:  
May 14, 1992.

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>2</sup> On October 24, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, effective November 3, 1986.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Tokelau.

Convention for the prohibition of fishing with long driftnets in the South Pacific. Done at Wellington November 24, 1989; entered into force May 17, 1991; for the United States February 28, 1992.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
Cook Is.  
Fiji  
Kiribati  
Micronesia  
Nauru  
New Zealand

Niue  
Palau  
Solomon Is.  
Tokelau  
United States  
Western Samoa

Convention for the conservation of anadromous stocks in the North Pacific Ocean, with annex. Done at Moscow February 11, 1992; entered into force February 16, 1993. TIAS 11465.

Parties:

Canada  
Japan  
Russian Fed.  
United States

Convention on the conservation and management of pollock resources in the central Bering Sea, with annex. Done at Washington June 16, 1994; entered into force December 8, 1995.

TIAS

Parties:

China  
Japan  
Korea  
Poland  
Russian Fed.  
United States

Agreement for the implementation of the provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of December 10, 1982, relating to the conservation and management of straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks, with annexes. Done at New York August 4, 1995; entered into force December 11, 2001.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Brazil  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
Cook Is.  
Costa Rica  
Cyprus  
Fiji  
Iceland  
Iran  
Maldives  
Malta<sup>1</sup>  
Mauritius  
Micronesia  
Monaco  
Namibia  
Nauru  
New Zealand<sup>2</sup>  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Papua New Guinea  
Russian Fed.<sup>1</sup>  
St. Lucia  
Samoa  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Solomon Is.  
Sri Lanka  
Tonga  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay<sup>1</sup>

**FISHERIES (Cont'd)**

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Tokelau.

Agreement on the international dolphin conservation program, with annexes. Done at Washington May 21, 1998; entered into force February 15, 1999.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Costa Rica  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela

**FOOD AID****(See also GRAINS)**

Food aid convention, 1999. Done at London April 13, 1999; entered into force July 1, 1999; for the United States January 5, 2001.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
European Community  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.**FOOD AND  
AGRICULTURE  
ORGANIZATION****(See also AGRICULTURE;  
FISHERIES; POPLAR  
COMMISSION)**

Constitution of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization. Signed at Quebec October 16, 1945; entered into force October 16, 1945.

Composite Text, as amended to 1957:  
12 UST 980; TIAS 4803.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cook Is.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea

Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
European Community  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Niue  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau

## FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION (Cont'd)

Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Puerto Rico<sup>5</sup>  
Qatar  
Romania  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>6</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>7</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>7</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### Amendments:

October 30–November 24, 1961 (13 UST 2616; TIAS 5229).  
November 16–December 5, 1963 (14 UST 2203; TIAS 5506).  
November 20–December 9, 1965 (17 UST 457; TIAS 5987).  
November 4–23, 1967 (18 UST 3273; TIAS 6421).

October 30–November 27, 1969 (21 UST 1464; TIAS 6902).  
November 6–25, 1971 (23 UST 74; TIAS 7274).  
November 16–26, 1973 (25 UST 928; TIAS 7836).  
November 26, 1975 (27 UST 2381; TIAS 8318).  
November 29, 1977 (29 UST 2868; TIAS 8982).  
November 18, 1991 (TIAS 12134).

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>Associate member.

<sup>6</sup>Including all colonies and overseas territories.

<sup>7</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## FORESTRY

Establishment agreement for the Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR), with constitution. Done at Canberra March 5, 1993; entered into force March 5, 1993; for the United States May 3, 1993.

TIAS 11960.

Parties:

Australia  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United States

## GAS WARFARE

Protocol for the prohibition of the use in war of asphyxiating, poisonous or other gases, and of bacteriological methods of warfare. Done at Geneva June 17, 1925; entered into force February 8, 1928; for the United States April 10, 1975.

26 UST 571; TIAS 8061; 94 LNTS 65.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Angola<sup>1</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Bahamas, The<sup>1 2</sup>  
Bahrain<sup>1</sup>  
Bangladesh<sup>1</sup>  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>1 2</sup>  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Botswana<sup>1 2</sup>  
Brazil

Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burma<sup>1</sup>  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>1 3 4</sup>  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1 5</sup>  
Denmark  
Dominica<sup>1 2</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Estonia<sup>1</sup>  
Ethiopia<sup>6</sup>  
Fiji<sup>1</sup>  
Finland  
France<sup>1 7</sup>  
Gambia, The  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana<sup>1 2</sup>  
Holy See  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Israel<sup>1</sup>  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan<sup>1</sup>  
Kenya  
Kiribati<sup>1 2</sup>  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.<sup>9</sup>  
Korea, Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Kuwait<sup>1</sup>  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya<sup>1</sup>  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Mongolia<sup>1</sup>  
Morocco  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>10</sup>

**GAS WARFARE (Cont'd)**

New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>1</sup>  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
 Qatar  
 Romania<sup>1</sup>  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1,2</sup>  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Seychelles<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Solomon Is.<sup>1,2</sup>  
 South Africa  
 Spain<sup>1</sup>  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Swaziland<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Tuvalu<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Uganda  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>11</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>1,12</sup>  
 United States<sup>1</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>13</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>13</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>1,14</sup>  
 Zambia<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Zimbabwe<sup>1,2</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>2</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this protocol. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to all French territories.

<sup>8</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Curaçao.

<sup>11</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> It does not bind India or any British Dominion which is a separate member of the League of Nations and does not separately sign or adhere to the protocol. It is applicable to colonies. See footnote 2 above.

<sup>13</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>14</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**GENEVA CONVENTIONS**

(See **RED CROSS CONVENTIONS; RULES OF WARFARE**)

**GENOCIDE**

Convention on the prevention and punishment of the crime of genocide. Done at Paris December 9, 1948; entered into force January 12, 1951; for the United States February 23, 1989. TIAS

**Parties:**

Afghanistan  
 Albania<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Algeria<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh<sup>2</sup>  
 Barbados  
 Belarus<sup>2</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 China<sup>1,3,4</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Estonia

Ethiopia<sup>6</sup>  
 Fiji<sup>5</sup>  
 Finland<sup>7</sup>  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia, The  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,2,8</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India<sup>1</sup>  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Malaysia  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia<sup>2</sup>  
 Morocco<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Mozambique  
 Namibia  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>9</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Poland<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Romania<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain<sup>1</sup>

**GENOCIDE (Cont'd)**

Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Tanzania  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2 10</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>11</sup>  
 United States<sup>1 7</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Venezuela<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Vietnam<sup>1 2 12</sup>  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>1 2 13</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>13</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>14</sup>  
 Zimbabwe

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Considers itself bound by application extended to its territory before attainment of independence.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> With understanding(s).  
<sup>8</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>9</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>10</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>11</sup> Applicable to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Channel Is., Dominica, Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Grenada, Isle of Man, Pitcairn, Seychelles, St. Helen and Dependencies, St. Lucia, Turks and Caicos Is.  
<sup>12</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).  
<sup>13</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.  
<sup>14</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**GERMANY****(See also FINANCE; PATENTS;  
REPARATIONS)**

Act of military surrender. Terms between the United States and other Allied Powers and Germany. Signed at Rheims May 7 and at Berlin May 8, 1945; effective May 8, 1945. 59 Stat. 1857; EAS 502; 3 Bevans 1123.

Agreements relating to basic principles for merger of the three western German zones of occupation and other matters. Signed at Washington April 8, 1949; entered into force April 8, 1949.

63 Stat. 2817; TIAS 2066; 4 Bevans 832; 140 UNTS 196.

States which are parties:

France  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

Agreement relating to the lifting of restrictions imposed since March 1, 1948 on communications, transportation, and trade with Berlin. Done at New York May 4, 1949; entered into force May 4, 1949.

63 Stat. 2410; TIAS 1915; 4 Bevans 843; 138 UNTS 123.

States which are parties:

France  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Protocol of agreements reached between the Allied High Commissioners and the Chancellor of the German Federal Republic. Signed at Bonn November 22, 1949; entered into force November 22, 1949.

3 UST 2714; TIAS 2439; 185 UNTS 307.

States which are parties:

France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Convention on the settlement of matters arising out of the war and the occupation, with annex.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Bonn May 26, 1952.

6 UST 4411; TIAS 3425; 332 UNTS 219.

Accessions to Annex (Charter of the Arbitral Commission):

Belgium  
 Denmark  
 Greece  
 Italy  
 Luxembourg  
 Netherlands  
 Norway

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> This instrument, as amended by the protocol of October 23, 1954 (TIAS 3425), entered into force simultaneously with the protocol.

Protocol to correct certain textual errors in the convention on relations between the Three Powers and the Federal Republic of Germany and the related conventions signed at Bonn May 26, 1952.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Bonn June 27, 1952.

6 UST 5381; TIAS 3425.

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> This instrument, as amended by the protocol of October 23, 1954 (TIAS 3425), entered into force simultaneously with the protocol.

Agreement relating to certain German libraries and properties in Italy. Signed at Rome April 30, 1953; entered into force May 1, 1953.

4 UST 376; TIAS 2785; 175 UNTS 89.

States which are parties:

France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Italy  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning storage of, access to, and release of information from the archives of the Allied High Commission and connected tripartite agencies, with exchanges of notes relating to the Bipartite Coal Control Group. Signed at Bonn June 30, 1954; entered into force June 30, 1954.

5 UST 1598; TIAS 3036; 204 UNTS 99.

States which are parties:

France  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

Tripartite agreement on the exercise of retained rights in Germany. Signed at Paris October 23, 1954; entered into force May 5, 1955.

6 UST 5703; TIAS 3427.

States which are parties:

France  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

Protocol on the termination of the occupation regime in the Federal Republic of Germany, with five schedules and related letters.<sup>2</sup> Signed at Paris October 23, 1954; entered into force May 5, 1955.

6 UST 4117; TIAS 3425; 331 UNTS 253.

States which are parties:

France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> Schedules II, III, and V terminated July 1, 1963 by the agreement of August 3, 1959 (TIAS 5351, p. 156). Schedule I as it relates to postal matters and telecommunications terminated November 1, 1968.

<sup>2</sup> See also agreements of May 26, 1952 (TIAS 3425).

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Convention on the presence of foreign forces in the Federal Republic of Germany. Signed at Paris October 23, 1954; entered into force May 6, 1955.

6 UST 5689; TIAS 3426; 334 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
 Canada  
 Denmark

**GERMANY (Cont'd)**

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Penal administrative agreement with exchanges of notes dated November 1 and December 20, 1955, and notes of the German Chancellor dated October 14 and November 7, 1953. Done at Bonn September 29, 1955; entered into force May 5, 1955.

7 UST 663; TIAS 3549.

States which are parties:

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement relating to the return of captured files and archives of the former German Foreign Office at present in the territory of the United Kingdom. Exchange of notes between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany at Bonn March 14 and April 18, 1956; entered into force April 18, 1956.<sup>1</sup>

7 UST 2119; TIAS 3613; 271 UNTS 319.

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>Notes were exchanged *mutatis mutandis* between the Federal Republic of Germany and France and the United Kingdom.

Memorandum of understanding regarding German trademarks in Italy. Signed at Rome July 5, 1956; entered into force July 5, 1956.

7 UST 1989; TIAS 3601; 258 UNTS 371.

States which are parties:

France  
Italy  
United Kingdom  
United States

Administrative agreement concerning the Arbitration Tribunal and the Arbitral Commission on property, rights, and interests in Germany. Signed at Bonn July 13, 1956; entered into force July 13, 1956; operative from May 5, 1955.

7 UST 2129; TIAS 3615; 281 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement relating to the waiver of immunity from legal process of members of the Arbitra-

tion Tribunal and the Arbitral Commission on property, rights and interests in Germany under the administrative agreement of July 13, 1956. Exchange of notes between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany at Bonn July 24 and 27, 1956; entered into force July 27, 1956.<sup>1</sup>

7 UST 2773; TIAS 3657; 278 UNTS 3.

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>Notes were exchanged *mutatis mutandis* between the Federal Republic of Germany and France and the United Kingdom.

Protocol modifying the agreement concerning storage of, access to, and release of information from the archives of the Allied High Commission and connected tripartite agencies of June 30, 1954. Signed at Bonn March 5, 1959; entered into force March 5, 1959.

10 UST 341; TIAS 4195; 341 UNTS 386.

States which are parties:

France  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement on the abrogation of the convention on rights and obligations of foreign forces and their members in the Federal Republic of Germany, the agreement on the tax treatment of the forces and their members, and the finance convention, all signed May 26, 1952, as amended by the protocol of October 23, 1954 on the termination of the occupation regime in Germany. Signed at Bonn August 3, 1959; entered into force July 1, 1963.

14 UST 686; TIAS 5351; 481 UNTS 591.

States which are parties:

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning the administration of the archives of the Arbitral Commission on property, rights and interests in Germany. Exchange of notes at Bonn and Bad Godesberg August 12 and 26, 1971; entered into force December 31, 1971.

23 UST 590; TIAS 7317.

States which are parties:

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Treaty on the final settlement with respect to Germany, with agreed minute and related letters. Done at Moscow September 12, 1990; entered into force March 15, 1991.

TIAS ; 1696 UNTS 115.

Agreement concerning the convention of October 23, 1954, on the presence of foreign forces in the Federal Republic of Germany. Exchange

of notes at Bonn September 25, 1990; entered into force September 25, 1990.

TIAS

## Amendment:

September 12, 1994.

Agreement regarding the status of foreign forces in the former territory of the German Democratic Republic. Exchange of notes at Bonn September 25, 1990; entered into force October 3, 1990.

TIAS

Agreement concerning the convention of May 26, 1952, as amended, on relations between the Three Powers and the Federal Republic of Germany and the convention of May 26, 1952, as amended, on settlement of matters arising out of the war and the occupation. Exchange of notes at Bonn September 27 and 28, 1990; entered into force September 28, 1990.

TIAS ; 1656 UNTS 29.

Declaration suspending the operation of quadripartite rights and responsibilities. Signed at New York October 1, 1990; entered into force October 3, 1990.

TIAS

Agreement terminating the agreement of September 25, 1990, concerning the presence and status of Allied Forces in Berlin. Exchange of notes at Bonn September 12, 1994; entered into force September 12, 1994.

TIAS

**GRAINS**

(See also **FOOD AID; WHEAT**)

Grains trade convention (part of international grains agreement), 1995. Done at London December 7, 1994; entered into force July 1, 1995; for the United States

TIAS

Parties:

Algeria  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia  
Canada  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
European Community<sup>1</sup>  
Holy See  
Hungary  
India  
Iran  
Japan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Morocco  
Norway  
Pakistan  
South Africa  
Switzerland  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
United States

**GRAINS (Cont'd)**

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).**HAGUE CONVENTIONS**

(See under **JUDICIAL  
PROCEDURE; PACIFIC  
SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES;  
RULES OF WARFARE**)

**HEALTH**

The Pan American sanitary code.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Habana November 14, 1924; entered into force June 26, 1925.

44 Stat. 2031; TS 714; 2 Bevans 483; 86 LNTS 43.

Additional protocol amending the Pan American sanitary code of November 14, 1924. Signed at Lima October 19, 1927; entered into force July 3, 1928.

45 Stat. 2613; TS 763; 2 Bevans 648; 87 LNTS 453.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Bolivia<sup>2</sup>  
Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia<sup>3</sup>  
Costa Rica<sup>2</sup>  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ecuador  
El Salvador<sup>2</sup>  
Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
Haiti<sup>2</sup>  
Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
Mexico<sup>4</sup>  
Panama<sup>3</sup>  
Paraguay<sup>2</sup>  
Peru  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Articles 2, 9, 10, 11, 16 to 53 inclusive, 61 and 62 replaced by the international health regulations, adopted at Boston July 25, 1969 (TIAS 7026).

<sup>2</sup> Not a party to additional protocol.

<sup>3</sup> With memorandum of interpretation.

<sup>4</sup> With reservation.

Constitution of the World Health Organization. Done at New York July 22, 1946; entered into force April 7, 1948; for the United States June 21, 1948.

62 Stat. 2679; TIAS 1808; 4 Bevans 119; 14 UNTS 185.

Parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria

Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cook Is.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
East Timor  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras

Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia<sup>4</sup>  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Niue  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles

**HEALTH (Cont'd)**

Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Somalia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Tuvalu  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom  
 United States<sup>6</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Western Samoa  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>7</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>7</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

**Amendments:**

May 23, 1967 (26 UST 990; TIAS 8086).  
 May 22, 1973 (28 UST 2088; TIAS 8534).  
 May 17, 1976 (35 UST 4280; TIAS 10930).  
 May 12, 1986 (TIAS 12049).

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Associate member.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup> With statement.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

World Health Organization nomenclature regulations, 1967.<sup>1</sup> Adopted at Geneva May 22, 1967; entered into force January 1, 1968. 18 UST 3003; TIAS 6393.

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup> In force for all members of the World Health Organization with the exception of the Federal Republic of Germany which has made a reservation that the nomenclature regulations, 1967, will not enter into force in the Federal Republic until the Director-General of the World Health Organization has been notified that the domestic prerequisites have been fulfilled. The World Health Organization Regulations No. 1 of July 24, 1948 (7 UST 79; TIAS 3482) regarding nomenclature remain in force as regards parties to them which are not yet parties to the 1967 regulations.

International health regulations, with appendices. Adopted at Boston July 25, 1969; entered into force January 1, 1971.<sup>1,2</sup> 21 UST 3003; TIAS 7026; 764 UNTS 3.

Additional regulations amending articles 1, 21, 63 to 71, 92, and appendix 2 of the international health regulations. Adopted at Geneva May 23, 1973; entered into force January 1, 1974.<sup>3</sup> 25 UST 197; TIAS 7786.

Additional amendments to the international health regulations. Adopted at Geneva May 20, 1981; entered into force January 1, 1982.<sup>4</sup> 33 UST 4436; TIAS 10314.

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> Replaces as between States bound by these regulations the international sanitary conventions and regulations listed in article 99 of the regulations.

<sup>2</sup> In force for all members of the World Health Organization except as follows: Not bound—Australia, Singapore, and South Africa. Bound with reservations—Egypt, India, Pakistan, and Suriname. Position not defined—Holy See and Nauru.

<sup>3</sup> In force for all members of the World Health Organization except as follows: Not bound—Australia, Egypt, Iran, Italy, Libya, Madagascar, Singapore, and South Africa. Position not defined—Holy See and Nauru.

<sup>4</sup> In force for all members of the World Health Organization except as provided in article 22 of the Constitution of the Organization.

Protocol for the termination of the Brussels agreement for the unification of pharmacopoeial formulas for potent drugs. Done at Geneva May 20, 1952; entered into force May 20, 1952. 3 UST 5067; TIAS 2692; 219 UNTS 55.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize<sup>1</sup>  
 Botswana<sup>1</sup>  
 Brunei<sup>1</sup>  
 Cyprus<sup>1</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
 Egypt  
 Fiji<sup>1</sup>  
 Finland  
 France<sup>2</sup>

Gambia, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 Greece  
 Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
 Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
 Iceland  
 Italy  
 Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
 Kenya<sup>1</sup>  
 Kiribati<sup>1</sup>  
 Lesotho<sup>1</sup>  
 Luxembourg  
 Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
 Malta<sup>1</sup>  
 Mauritius<sup>1</sup>  
 Netherlands  
 Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
 Norway  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
 Seychelles<sup>1</sup>  
 Sierra Leone<sup>1</sup>  
 Singapore<sup>1</sup>  
 Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Swaziland<sup>1</sup>  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Tanzania<sup>1</sup>  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
 Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>2,4</sup>  
 United States  
 Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>  
 Zambia<sup>1</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to New Hebrides; continued application to Vanuatu not determined.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, Montserrat, and St. Helena.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Statute of International Agency for Research on Cancer. Done at Geneva May 20, 1965; entered into force September 15, 1965. 16 UST 1239; TIAS 5873.

States which are parties:

Australia  
 Belgium  
 Canada  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Netherlands  
 Sweden  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**Amendment:**

May 19, 1970 (21 UST 1567; TIAS 6919).

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

**HEALTH (Cont'd)**

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Agreement for phase I of the project for the strengthening of public health delivery system in Central and West Africa. Dated March 26, 1975; entered into force April 17, 1975, effective April 19, 1975.

28 UST 3743; TIAS 8597.

Parties:

Agency for International Development

Benin

Burkina Faso

Cameroon

Central African Rep.

Chad

Congo

Cote d'Ivoire

Gabon

Gambia, The

Ghana

Guinea

Liberia

Mali

Mauritania

Niger

Senegal

Sierra Leone

Togo

World Health Organization

Amendment:

June 22, 1976 (28 UST 3772; TIAS 8597).

**HIJACKING**

(See under AVIATION)

**HOSTAGES**

(See under TERRORISM)

**HUMAN RIGHTS**

International covenant on civil and political rights. Done at New York December 16, 1966; entered into force March 23, 1976; for the United States September 8, 1992.

TIAS

Parties:

Afghanistan

Albania

Algeria

Angola

Argentina

Armenia

Australia<sup>1</sup>

Austria

Azerbaijan

Bangladesh

Barbados

Belarus

Belgium

Belize

Benin

Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina<sup>1</sup>

Botswana

Brazil

Bulgaria

Burkina Faso

Burundi

Cambodia

Cameroon

Canada

Cape Verde

Central African Rep.

Chad

Chile

Colombia

Congo

Congo, Dem. Rep.

Costa Rica

Cote d'Ivoire

Croatia<sup>1</sup>

Cyprus

Czech Rep.

Denmark

Djibouti

Dominica

Dominican Rep.

Ecuador

Egypt

El Salvador

Equatorial Guinea

Eritrea

Estonia

Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>

Finland

Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

France

Gabon

Gambia

Georgia

German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 3</sup>

Ghana

Greece

Grenada

Guatemala

Guinea

Guyana<sup>1</sup>

Haiti

Honduras

Hong Kong<sup>4</sup>

Hungary

Iceland

India

Iran

Iraq

Ireland

Israel

Italy

Jamaica

Japan

Jordan

Kenya

Korea, Dem. People's Rep.

Korea, Rep.

Kuwait

Kyrgyz Rep.

Latvia

Lebanon

Lesotho

Libya

Liechtenstein<sup>1 5</sup>

Lithuania

Luxembourg

Macao<sup>4</sup>

Madagascar

Malawi

Mali

Malta

Mauritius

Mexico

Moldova

Monaco

Mongolia

Morocco

Mozambique

Namibia

Nepal

Netherlands<sup>6</sup>

New Zealand

Nicaragua

Niger

Nigeria

Norway

Panama

Paraguay

Peru

Philippines

Poland

Portugal

Romania

Russian Fed.

Rwanda

St. Vincent & the Grenadines

San Marino

Senegal

Seychelles

Sierra Leone

Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>

Slovenia

Somalia

South Africa

Spain

Sri Lanka

Sudan

Suriname

Sweden

Switzerland<sup>1 5</sup>

Syria

Tajikistan

Tanzania

Thailand

Togo

Trinidad & Tobago

Tunisia<sup>1</sup>

Turkmenistan

Uganda

Ukraine<sup>1</sup>

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>

United Kingdom

United States<sup>1 8</sup>

Uruguay

Uzbekistan

Venezuela

Viet Nam

Yemen (Aden)<sup>9</sup>

Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>

Zambia

Zimbabwe<sup>1</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

<sup>5</sup> With reservation(s).

**HUMAN RIGHTS (Cont'd)**

<sup>6</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup>With understanding(s).

<sup>9</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**HYDROGRAPHY**

Convention on the International Hydrographic Organization, with annexes. Done at Monaco May 3, 1967; entered into force September 22, 1970.

21 UST 1857; TIAS 6933; 751 UNTS 41.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,3</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Malaysia  
Monaco  
Mozambique  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nigeria  
Norway

Oman  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Singapore  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Thailand  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia<sup>3</sup>  
Turkey  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3,4</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>With reservation.

<sup>4</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY****(See also INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY; PATENTS)**

Convention for the protection of inventions, patents, designs and industrial models. Signed at Buenos Aires August 20, 1910; entered into force July 31, 1912.

38 Stat. 1811; TS 595; 1 Bevans 767; 155 LNTS 179.

States which are parties:

Bolivia  
Brazil  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Nicaragua

Paraguay  
United States  
Uruguay

General inter-American convention for trademark and commercial protection.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Washington February 20, 1929; entered into force April 2, 1930; for the United States February 17, 1931.

46 Stat. 2907; TS 833; 2 Bevans 751; 124 LNTS 357.

States which are parties:

Colombia  
Cuba  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
United States

**NOTE:**

<sup>1</sup>Replaces as between contracting parties the convention of August 20, 1910 (39 Stat. 1675; TS 626; 1 Bevans 772) and the convention of April 28, 1923 (44 Stat. 2494; TS 751; 2 Bevans 395). Parties to the 1923 convention not party to the 1929 convention are: Brazil, Dominican Republic and Uruguay. Parties to the 1910 convention not party to the subsequent conventions are: Bolivia and Ecuador.

For parties to the following agreements, see chart beginning on page 396.

Convention revising the Paris convention of March 20, 1883, as revised, for the protection of industrial property.<sup>1,2</sup> Done at Stockholm July 14, 1967; entered into force April 26, 1970; for the United States September 5, 1970 except for Articles 1 through 12 which entered into force May 19, 1970; for the United States August 25, 1973.

21 UST 1583; 24 UST 2140; TIAS 6923, 7727.

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>Originally called the Convention of the Union of Paris.

<sup>2</sup>Replaces as between contracting parties the (Lisbon) convention of October 31, 1958 (13 UST 1; TIAS 4931; 828 UNTS 107) and the (London) convention of June 2, 1934 (53 Stat. 1748; TS 941; 3 Bevans 223) which in turn replaced the (Hague) convention of November 6, 1925 (47 Stat. 1789; TS 834; 2 Bevans 524) and the (Washington) convention of June 2, 1911 (38 Stat. 1645; TS 579; 1 Bevans 791).

**INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY  
(Cont'd)**

States which are parties:	1911 Washington Convention	1925 Hague Convention	1934 London Convention	1958 Lisbon Convention	1967 Stockholm Convention
Albania					X
Algeria				X	X <sup>1</sup>
Antigua & Barbuda					X
Argentina				X	X <sup>2</sup>
Armenia					X
Australia	X	X	X		X
Austria	X	X	X	X	X
Azerbaijan					X
Bahamas, The				X	X <sup>2</sup>
Bahrain					X
Bangladesh					X <sup>1</sup>
Barbados					X
Belarus					X
Belgium	X	X	X	X	X
Belize					X
Benin		X		X	X
Bhutan					X
Bolivia					X
Bosnia-Herzegovina					X
Botswana					X
Brazil	X	X			X <sup>1</sup>
Bulgaria	X	X	X	X	X <sup>1</sup>
Burkina Faso		X		X	X
Burundi					X
Cambodia					X
Cameroon		X		X	X
Canada	X	X	X		X
Central African Rep.		X		X	X
Chad		X		X	X
Chile					X
China					X <sup>1,3</sup>
Colombia					X
Congo		X		X	X
Congo, Dem. Rep.					X
Costa Rica					X
Cote d'Ivoire		X		X	X
Croatia					X
Cuba	X			X	X <sup>1</sup>
Cyprus				X	X
Czech Rep.					X
Denmark	X	X	X		X <sup>4</sup>
Djibouti					X
Dominica					X
Dominican Rep.	X	X			
Ecuador					X <sup>5</sup>
Egypt			X		X <sup>1</sup>
El Salvador					X
Equatorial Guinea					X
Estonia	X				X
Finland	X		X		X
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia					X
France	X	X	X	X	X <sup>6</sup>
Gabon				X	X
Gambia					X
Georgia					X
German Dem. Rep.			X	X	X <sup>7</sup>
Germany, Fed. Rep.			X	X	X <sup>7</sup>
Ghana					X
Greece	X		X		X
Grenada					X
Guatemala					X
Guinea					X
Guinea-Bissau					X
Guyana					X

**INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY**  
**(Cont'd)**

States which are parties:	1911 Washington Convention	1925 Hague Convention	1934 London Convention	1958 Lisbon Convention	1967 Stockholm Convention
Haiti			X	X	X
Honduras					X
Hungary	X	X	X	X	X <sup>1</sup>
Iceland			X <sup>2</sup>		X
India					X <sup>5</sup>
Indonesia			X		X
Iran			X	X	X <sup>5</sup>
Iraq					X <sup>1</sup>
Ireland	X		X	X	X
Israel			X	X	X
Italy	X	X	X	X	X
Jamaica					X
Japan	X	X	X	X	X
Jordan					X
Kazakhstan					X
Kenya				X	X
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.					X
Korea, Rep.					X
Kyrgyz Rep.					X
Laos					X <sup>5</sup>
Latvia	X				X
Lebanon	X	X	X		X <sup>12</sup>
Lesotho					X
Liberia					X
Libya					X <sup>1</sup>
Liechtenstein		X	X		X
Lithuania					X
Luxembourg	X		X		X
Madagascar		X		X	X
Malawi				X	X
Malaysia					X
Mali					X
Malta		X	X	X	X <sup>12</sup>
Mauritania		X		X	X
Mauritius					X
Mexico	X	X	X	X	X
Moldova					X
Monaco			X	X	X
Mongolia					X
Morocco	X	X	X	X	X
Mozambique					X
Nepal					X
Netherlands	X	X	X		X <sup>8</sup>
New Zealand	X	X	X		X <sup>29</sup>
Nicaragua					X <sup>1</sup>
Niger		X		X	X
Nigeria				X	
Norway	X		X	X	X
Oman					X <sup>5</sup>
Panama					X
Papua New Guinea					X
Paraguay					X
Peru					X
Philippines				X	X <sup>2</sup>
Poland	X	X			X <sup>1</sup>
Portugal	X	X	X		X
Qatar					X
Romania	X	X	X	X	X <sup>1</sup>
Russian Fed.					X
Rwanda					X
St. Kitts & Nevis					X
St. Lucia					X <sup>1</sup>
St. Vincent & the Grenadines					X
San Marino			X		X

## INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY (Cont'd)

States which are parties:	1911 Washington Convention	1925 Hague Convention	1934 London Convention	1958 Lisbon Convention	1967 Stockholm Convention
Sao Tome					X
Senegal		X		X	X
Seychelles					X
Sierra Leone					X
Singapore					X
Slovak Rep.	X	X	X	X	X <sup>1</sup>
Slovenia					X
South Africa			X	X	X <sup>1</sup>
Spain	X	X	X		X
Sri Lanka	X		X		X <sup>2</sup>
Sudan					X
Suriname			X		X
Swaziland					X
Sweden	X	X	X		X
Switzerland	X	X	X	X	X
Syrian Arab Rep.	X	X	X		X <sup>5</sup>
Tajikistan					X
Tanzania				X	X <sup>2</sup>
Togo				X	X
Tonga					X
Trinidad & Tobago	X	X		X	X
Tunisia	X	X	X		X <sup>1</sup>
Turkey	X	X	X		X
Turkmenistan					X
Uganda				X	X
Ukraine					X
United Arab Emirates					X
United Kingdom	X	X	X	X	X <sup>10</sup>
United States	X	X	X	X	X <sup>11</sup>
Uruguay				X	X
Uzbekistan					X
Vatican City			X		X
Venezuela					X
Viet Nam			X		X <sup>1</sup>
Yugoslavia	X	X	X	X	X <sup>1 12</sup>
Zambia			X	X	X <sup>2</sup>
Zimbabwe					X

### NOTES to chart:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation under article 28.

<sup>2</sup> Not a party to articles 1–12; bound by relevant provisions of previous conventions.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Faroe Is.

<sup>5</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>6</sup> Including all Overseas Departments and Territories.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>9</sup> Applicable to Cook Is., Niue and Tokelau.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Isle of Man.

<sup>11</sup> Extended to all the territories and possessions of the United States, including Puerto Rico.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY (Cont'd)

Nice agreement, as revised, concerning the international classification of goods and services for the purposes of the registration of marks.<sup>1</sup> Done at Geneva May 13, 1977; entered into force February 6, 1979; for the United States February 29, 1984.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Australia  
Austria  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>3</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Estonia  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>4</sup>  
Georgia\*  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Greece  
Guinea  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malawi  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Lucia  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan

Tanzania  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia

Amendment:  
October 2, 1979.

NOTES:

\* Enters into force for Georgia February 28, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> The 1977 agreement replaces as between contracting parties the agreement concerning the international classification of goods and services to which trade marks apply done at Nice June 15, 1957 (23 UST 1336; TIAS 7418; 550 UNTS 45), as revised at Stockholm July 14, 1967 (23 UST 1353; TIAS 7419; 828 UNTS 191). Parties to the 1967 revision not parties to the 1977 revision include: Algeria, Israel, Morocco and Yugoslavia. Lebanon and Tunisia are parties to the agreement of 1957 but are not parties to the subsequent revisions.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With declaration.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Overseas Departments and Territories.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Trademark law treaty and regulations. Done at Geneva October 27, 1994; entered into force August 1, 1996; for the United States August 12, 2000.

TIAS ; 2037 UNTS 35.

Parties:

Australia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
Estonia\*  
Hungary  
Indonesia  
Ireland  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Korea\*  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom  
United States

Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia

NOTE:

\* Enters into force for Estonia January 7, 2003; for Korea February 25, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> Not applicable to the Faroe Is. or to Greenland.

WIPO performances and phonograms treaty. Adopted at Geneva December 20, 1996; entered into force May 20, 2002.

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
Argentina  
Belarus  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Czech Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Gabon  
Georgia  
Guatemala\*  
Guinea  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Mali  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Romania  
St. Lucia  
Senegal  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Ukraine  
United States<sup>1</sup>

NOTE:

\* Enters into force for Guatemala January 8, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

## INSULAR POSSESSIONS

Convention to adjust amicably questions between the United States, Germany, and the United Kingdom in respect of the Samoan group of islands.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Washington December 2, 1899; entered into force February 16, 1900.

31 Stat. 1878; TS 314; 1 Bevans 276.

States which are parties:

United Kingdom  
United States

## INSULAR POSSESSIONS (Cont'd)

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>The German Samoan islands became a mandate of New Zealand on May 7, 1919, Germany having renounced rights and titles to them, effective August 4, 1919 (articles 22, 119, and 288, treaty of peace with Germany signed at Versailles June 28, 1919). Subsequently these islands were administered by New Zealand, first under a League of Nations mandate, then as a United Nations Trust Territory. On January 1, 1962, Western Samoa acquired the status of an independent state.

Treaty relating to insular possessions and insular dominions in the region of the Pacific Ocean, with declaration. Signed at Washington December 13, 1921; entered into force August 17, 1923.

43 Stat. 1646; TS 669; 2 Bevans 332; 25 LNTS 184.

Agreement supplementary to the treaty relating to insular possessions and insular dominions in the region of the Pacific Ocean. Signed at Washington February 6, 1922; entered into force August 17, 1923.

43 Stat. 1652; TS 670; 2 Bevans 372; 25 LNTS 196.

States which are parties:

France  
Japan  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>1</sup>

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation and understanding.

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Convention establishing the World Intellectual Property Organization. Done at Stockholm July 14, 1967; entered into force April 26, 1970; for the United States August 25, 1970.

21 UST 1749; TIAS 6932; 828 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Holy See  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia

Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>4</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papau New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (Cont'd)

United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Venezuela  
Viet-Nam  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>5</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>5</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

Amendment:  
October 2, 1979.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Cook Is., Niue and Tokelau.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

(See under FINANCIAL  
INSTITUTIONS)

## INTER-AMERICAN (RIO) TREATY OF RECIPROCAL ASSISTANCE

(See under DEFENSE)

## INTERGOVERNMENTAL MARITIME CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION

(See INTERNATIONAL  
MARITIME ORGANIZATION)

## INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

(See under ATOMIC ENERGY)

## INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

(See under FINANCIAL  
INSTITUTIONS)

## INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION

(See also AVIATION)

Convention on international civil aviation.<sup>1</sup>  
Done at Chicago December 7, 1944; entered  
into force April 4, 1947.

61 Stat. 1180; TIAS 1591; 3 Bevans 944; 15  
UNTS 295.

Protocol on the authentic trilingual text of the  
convention on international civil aviation with  
annex.<sup>2</sup> Done at Buenos Aires September 24,  
1968; entered into force October 24, 1968.  
19 UST 7693; TIAS 6605; 740 UNTS 21.

Proces-verbal of rectification to the protocol of  
September 24, 1968 on the authentic trilingual  
text of the convention on international civil  
aviation. Done at Washington April 8, 1969;  
entered into force April 8, 1969.  
20 UST 718; TIAS 6681.

Protocol on the authentic quadrilingual text of  
the convention on international civil aviation,  
with annex.<sup>2</sup> Done at Montreal September 30,  
1977; entered into force September 16, 1999.  
TIAS

States which are parties:

Afghanistan<sup>3</sup>  
Albania  
Algeria<sup>3</sup>  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin<sup>3</sup>  
Bhutan  
Bolivia<sup>3</sup>  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma<sup>3</sup>  
Burundi<sup>3</sup>  
Cambodia<sup>3</sup>

Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>4,5</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo<sup>3</sup>  
Congo, Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Cook Is.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominican Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador<sup>3</sup>  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>3,6</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Ghana<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea<sup>3</sup>  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana<sup>3</sup>  
Haiti<sup>3</sup>  
Honduras<sup>3</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland<sup>3</sup>  
India  
Indonesia<sup>3</sup>  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>3</sup>  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya<sup>3</sup>  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos<sup>3</sup>  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia<sup>3</sup>  
Libya<sup>3</sup>  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>3</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malawi

## INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION (Cont'd)

Malaysia<sup>3</sup>  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta<sup>3</sup>  
 Marshall Is.<sup>8</sup>  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Micronesia<sup>9</sup>  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco<sup>3</sup>  
 Mozambique  
 Namibia  
 Nauru  
 Nepal<sup>3</sup>  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua<sup>3</sup>  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Palau  
 Panama<sup>4</sup>  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay<sup>3</sup>  
 Peru  
 Philippines<sup>3</sup>  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia<sup>4</sup>  
 Senegal<sup>3</sup>  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone<sup>3</sup>  
 Singapore<sup>3</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Somalia<sup>3</sup>  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka<sup>3</sup>  
 Sudan<sup>3</sup>  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>10</sup>  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand<sup>3</sup>  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>3</sup>  
 Tunisia

Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda<sup>3</sup>  
 Ukraine  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Western Samoa  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>11</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>3 11</sup>  
 Yugoslavia  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> Applicable to all territories.  
<sup>2</sup> States becoming parties to the convention after the entry into force of the protocol are deemed parties to the protocol.  
<sup>3</sup> Not a party to the protocol.  
<sup>4</sup> With a statement.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>8</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.  
<sup>9</sup> On October 24, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, effective November 3, 1986.  
<sup>10</sup> Applicable to Liechtenstein as long as the customs treaty of March 29, 1923 between Switzerland and Liechtenstein remains in force.  
<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

### Amendments:<sup>1</sup>

June 14, 1954 (8 UST 179; TIAS 3756; 320 UNTS 21).  
 September 15, 1962 (26 UST 2374; TIAS 8162; 1008 UNTS 213).  
 July 7, 1971 (26 UST 1061; TIAS 8092).  
 October 16, 1974 (32 UST 322; TIAS 9702).<sup>2</sup>  
 September 30, 1977.  
 September 30, 1977.  
 October 6, 1980.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Protocols of amendment to the convention are legally binding only on those states which ratify or otherwise accept them; however, the above amendments are all of an organizational character and thus in effect for all ICAO members. The United States is not a party to the protocols of May 27, 1947 (418 UNTS 161) and June 14, 1954 (320 UNTS 209).

<sup>2</sup> This amendment increasing the size of the ICAO council supersedes the protocols of June 21, 1961 (13 UST 2105; TIAS 5170; 514 UNTS 209) and March 12, 1971 (24 UST 1019; TIAS 7616).

## INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

Statute of the International Court of Justice annexed to the Charter of the United Nations. All Members of the United Nations are *ipso facto* parties to the Statute (article 93, UN Charter). 59 Stat. 1055; TS 993; 3 Bevans 1153.

In addition, the following countries not members of the UN have become parties to the Statute pursuant to resolutions adopted by the General Assembly:

Nauru  
 Switzerland (17 UNTS 111)

## INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT LAW INSTITUTE

(See under ECONOMIC AND  
TECHNICAL COOPERATION  
AND DEVELOPMENT)

## INTERNATIONAL ENERGY AGENCY

(See under ENERGY)

## INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION

(See under LABOR)

## INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION

Convention on the Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative Organization.\* Signed at Geneva March 6, 1948; entered into force March 17, 1958.

9 UST 621; TIAS 4044; 289 UNTS 48.

States which are parties:

Albania  
 Algeria  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia

## INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION (Cont'd)

Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burma  
Cambodia<sup>1</sup>  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Faroe Is.<sup>3</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece<sup>1</sup>  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hong Kong<sup>3</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland<sup>1</sup>  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Iran  
Iraq<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.

Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Macao<sup>3</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Maldives  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco<sup>1</sup>  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Samoa  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>1</sup>  
Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>1</sup>  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>

United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>7</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>7</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>

### Amendments:

September 15, 1964 (18 UST 1299; TIAS 6285; 607 UNTS 276).  
September 28, 1965 (19 UST 4855; TIAS 6490; 649 UNTS 334).  
October 17, 1974 (28 UST 4607; TIAS 8606).  
November 14, 1975 (34 UST 497; TIAS 10374).  
November 17, 1977 (TIAS 11094).  
November 15, 1979 (TIAS 11094).

### NOTES:

\* The title of the Convention was changed to the Convention on the International Maritime Organization by amendment adopted by the Organization November 14, 1975, effective May 22, 1982.

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> Associate Member.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND (See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)

## INTERNATIONAL TRACING SERVICE

Agreement constituting an International Commission for the International Tracing Service. Signed at Bonn June 6, 1955; entered into force May 5, 1955.

6 UST 6186; TIAS 3471, pp. 18-37; 219 UNTS 79.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Israel  
Italy  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

## INTERNATIONAL TRACING SERVICE (Cont'd)

Extensions and amendments:  
August 23, 1960 (12 UST 463; TIAS 4736, pp. 18-24; 377 UNTS 402).  
April 27, 1972.

### Related agreements

Agreement relating to the operation of the International Tracing Service. Exchange of notes between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany at Bonn and Bonn-Bad Godesberg June 6, 1955; operative May 5, 1955.<sup>2</sup>  
6 UST 6169; TIAS 3471, pp. 2-6; 315 UNTS 155.

Extensions and amendments:  
April 28 and May 5, 1960 (12 UST 445; TIAS 4736, pp. 2-5).  
May 24, 1968.

Agreement providing for the administration and direction of the International Tracing Service by the International Committee of the Red Cross. Exchange of notes between the United States and the President of the International Committee of the Red Cross at Bonn-Bad Godesberg and Geneva June 6, 1955; entered into force May 5, 1955.<sup>3</sup>  
6 UST 6175; TIAS 3471, pp. 7-17.

Extensions and amendments:  
May 9 and 12, 1960 (12 UST 452; TIAS 4736, pp. 5-18).  
May 31 and July 25, 1968.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Notes were exchanged *mutatis mutandis* by the Federal Republic of Germany with France and the United Kingdom.

<sup>3</sup> Notes were exchanged *mutatis mutandis* by the International Committee of the Red Cross with France, the Federal Republic of Germany, and the United Kingdom. See also agreement signed at Bonn June 6, 1955 by the Chairman of the International Commission and a representative of the International Committee of the Red Cross (6 UST 6207; TIAS 3471, pp. 39-54; 219 UNTS 96), as extended and amended September 30 and October 7, 1960 (12 UST 471; TIAS 4736, pp. 2533); December 22, 1972.

## INVESTMENT DISPUTES

Convention on the settlement of investment disputes between states and nationals of other states.<sup>1</sup> Done at Washington March 18, 1965; entered into force October 14, 1966.  
17 UST 1270; TIAS 6090; 575 UNTS 159.  
States which are parties:  
Afghanistan  
Albania

Algeria  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cameroon  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>2</sup>  
China, People's Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>4</sup>  
East Timor  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Indonesia  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi

Malaysia  
Mali  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Micronesia  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Portugal  
Romania  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tanzania  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>7</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Venezuela  
Western Samoa  
Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> The convention is applicable to all territories for whose international relations a Contracting State is responsible, except those which are excluded by such State by written notice to the depositary . . . (Article 70).

<sup>2</sup> On October 2, 1980, the Administrative Council decided that "the Republic of China be removed from the list of Contracting States and noted that, pending study by the Government of the People's Republic of the possibility of becoming a party to the Convention, China is not a Contracting State."

## INVESTMENT DISPUTES (Cont'd)

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Faroe Is.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to all territories for whose international relations it is responsible except British Indian Ocean Territory, Pitcairn Islands, and Sovereign Base Areas of Cyprus.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## JUDICIAL PROCEDURE

### INTER-AMERICAN AGREEMENTS

Convention for the establishment of an International Commission of Jurists. Signed at Rio de Janeiro August 23, 1906; entered into force August 26, 1907; for the United States March 9, 1908.

37 Stat. 1554; TS 565; 1 Bevans 547.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States  
Uruguay

Protocol embodying a declaration on the juridical personality of foreign companies. Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, June 25, 1936; entered into force for the United States July 10, 1941.

55 Stat. 1201; TS 973; 3 Bevans 274; 161 UNTS 217.

States which are parties:

Chile<sup>1</sup>  
Dominican Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Nicaragua  
Peru  
United States<sup>2</sup>  
Venezuela

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With a statement.

<sup>2</sup> With understandings.

Protocol on uniformity of powers of attorney which are to be utilized abroad. Done at the

Pan American Union, Washington, February 17, 1940; entered into force for the United States April 16, 1942.

56 Stat. 1376; TS 982; 3 Bevans 612; 161 UNTS 229.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
United States  
Venezuela<sup>1</sup>

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

Inter-American convention on letters rogatory. Done at Panama January 30, 1975; entered into force January 16, 1976; for the United States August 27, 1988.

TIAS

Additional protocol to the Inter-American convention on letters rogatory, with annex. Done at Montevideo May 8, 1979; entered into force June 14, 1980; for the United States August 27, 1988.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina\*  
Brazil\*  
Chile<sup>1</sup>\*  
Colombia\*  
Costa Rica  
Ecuador\*  
El Salvador<sup>1 2</sup>\*  
Guatemala\*  
Honduras  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>\*  
Panama\*  
Paraguay\*  
Peru\*  
Spain<sup>3</sup>  
United States<sup>2</sup>\*  
Uruguay<sup>3</sup>\*  
Venezuela<sup>2</sup>\*

NOTES:

\* The United States has a treaty relationship only with these countries which are a party to the Convention and the Additional Protocol.

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> Designation of Central Authority in accordance with Article 4.

Inter-American convention on mutual assistance in criminal matters. Done at Nassau May 23, 1992; entered into force April 14, 1996; for the United States June 24, 2001.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada  
Ecuador  
Grenada  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States  
Venezuela

## HAGUE CONVENTIONS<sup>1</sup>

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> Adopted under the auspices of the Hague Conference on International Law. (See under LAW, PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL.)

Convention abolishing the requirement of legalisation for foreign public documents, with annex. Done at The Hague October 5, 1961; entered into force January 24, 1965; for the United States October 15, 1981.

33 UST 883; TIAS 10072; 527 UNTS 189.

States which are parties:<sup>1</sup>

Andorra  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Colombia  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Dominica  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Grenada  
Hong Kong<sup>4</sup>  
Hungary  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Macao<sup>4</sup>  
Malawi  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Namibia  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
New Zealand  
Niue  
Norway  
Panama<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia

## JUDICIAL PROCEDURE (Cont'd)

Samoa  
San Marino  
Seychelles  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>7</sup>  
United States<sup>8,9</sup>  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With designation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to all overseas departments and territories.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles, and Aruba.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Anguilla, Jersey, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, Bermuda, Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, St. Helena, Turks and Caicos Is. and the British Virgin Is.  
<sup>8</sup> Extended to those territories for the foreign relations of which the United States is responsible.  
<sup>9</sup> With statement(s).  
<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the service abroad of judicial and extrajudicial documents in civil or commercial matters. Done at The Hague November 15, 1965; entered into force February 10, 1969. 20 UST 361; TIAS 6638; 658 UNTS 163.

States which are parties:<sup>1</sup>

Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Botswana<sup>2</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Canada<sup>2</sup>  
China<sup>1,2,3</sup>  
Cyprus<sup>2</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
Egypt  
Estonia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland<sup>2</sup>  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,4</sup>

Greece<sup>2</sup>  
Ireland<sup>2</sup>  
Israel<sup>2</sup>  
Italy  
Japan<sup>2</sup>  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>2</sup>  
Malawi  
Mexico  
Netherlands<sup>2,5</sup>  
Norway<sup>2</sup>  
Pakistan  
Poland<sup>2</sup>  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
San Marino  
Seychelles<sup>2</sup>  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain<sup>2</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden<sup>2</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>2</sup>  
Turkey<sup>2</sup>  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom<sup>2,6</sup>  
United States<sup>2,7</sup>  
Venezuela<sup>2</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With designation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Extended to Aruba.  
<sup>6</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Central and Southern Line Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Montserrat, Pitcairn, St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is.  
<sup>7</sup> Extended to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Is., the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Is.

Convention on the taking of evidence abroad in civil or commercial matters. Done at The Hague March 18, 1970; entered into force October 7, 1972. 23 UST 2555; TIAS 7444; 847 UNTS 231.

States which are parties:<sup>1</sup>

Argentina<sup>2,3</sup>  
Australia<sup>2,3</sup>  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Bulgaria  
China<sup>2,3,4</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>2,3</sup>  
Estonia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland<sup>2,3</sup>  
France<sup>2,5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,3,6</sup>  
Israel<sup>2</sup>  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>2,3</sup>

Mexico<sup>2,3</sup>  
Monaco<sup>2,3</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
Norway<sup>2,3</sup>  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>2,3</sup>  
Singapore<sup>2,3</sup>  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa<sup>2,3</sup>  
Spain<sup>2,3</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden<sup>2</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>2,3</sup>  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom<sup>2,3,8</sup>  
United States<sup>2,9</sup>  
Venezuela

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With designation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>3</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to all territories of the French Republic.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> Extended to Aruba.  
<sup>8</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, and the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia on the Island of Cyprus.  
<sup>9</sup> Extended to Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Is.

Convention on the civil aspects of international child abduction. Done at The Hague October 25, 1980; entered into force December 1, 1983; for the United States July 1, 1988. TIAS 11670.

Parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Austria<sup>1</sup>  
Bahamas  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>3</sup>  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Burkina Faso  
Canada<sup>3,4,5</sup>  
Chile<sup>4</sup>  
Colombia  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1,4</sup>  
Ecuador  
Finland<sup>4</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>3,4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1,3,6</sup>  
Greece<sup>3,4</sup>  
Honduras  
Hong Kong<sup>7</sup>  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Israel<sup>3</sup>  
Italy  
Luxembourg<sup>4</sup>  
Macao<sup>7</sup>

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Mauritius<sup>3</sup>  
 Mexico  
 Monaco<sup>3</sup>  
 Netherlands<sup>3 8</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>3</sup>  
 Norway<sup>3</sup>  
 Panama  
 Poland<sup>3</sup>  
 Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
 Romania  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>3</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain<sup>1</sup>  
 Sweden<sup>3</sup>  
 Switzerland<sup>1</sup>  
 Turkey  
 United Kingdom<sup>3 4 9</sup>  
 United States<sup>1 3</sup>  
 Venezuela<sup>3</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>  
 Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With designation(s).

<sup>2</sup> Extended to legal system applicable only in Australian states and mainland territories.

<sup>3</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>4</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>5</sup> Extended to Alberta, Newfoundland, Northwest Territories, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Is., Quebec, Saskatchewan and Yukon Territory.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations.

<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to Isle of Man.

<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## KOREA

Joint declaration of policy on Korea. Signed at Washington July 27, 1953.

4 UST 230; TIAS 2781.

States which are parties:

Australia  
 Belgium  
 Canada  
 Colombia  
 Ethiopia<sup>1</sup>  
 France  
 Greece  
 Luxembourg  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Philippines  
 South Africa  
 Thailand  
 Turkey  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning a military armistice in Korea, with annex. Signed at Panmunjom July 27, 1953, by the Commander-in-Chief, United Nations Command; the Supreme Commander of the Korean People's Army; and the Commander of the Chinese People's Volunteers; entered into force July 27, 1953.  
 4 UST 234; TIAS 2782.

Temporary agreement supplementary to the armistice agreement in Korea. Signed at Panmunjom July 27, 1953, by the Commander-in-Chief, United Nations Command; the Supreme Commander of the Korean People's Army; and the Commander of the Chinese People's Volunteers; entered into force July 27, 1953.  
 4 UST 346; TIAS 2782.

Agreement regarding the status of the United Nations forces in Japan, with agreed official minutes. Signed at Tokyo February 19, 1954; entered into force June 11, 1954.  
 5 UST 1123; TIAS 2995; 214 UNTS 51.

States which are parties:

Australia  
 Canada  
 France  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 New Zealand  
 Philippines  
 South Africa  
 Thailand  
 Turkey  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

## LABOR

Instrument for the amendment of the constitution of the International Labor Organization. Dated at Montreal October 9, 1946; entered into force April 20, 1948; reentered into force for the United States February 18, 1980.<sup>1</sup>  
 62 Stat. 3485; TIAS 1868; 4 Bevans 188; 15 UNTS 35.

Members of the International Labor Organization:

Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina

Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad  
 Chile  
 China<sup>2</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Djibouti  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Eritrea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Kiribati  
 Korea  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho

**LABOR (Cont'd)**

Liberia  
 Libya  
 Lithuania<sup>5</sup>  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Mozambique  
 Namibia  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Somalia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>

United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>7</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>7</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

**Amendments:**

June 25, 1953 (7 UST 245; TIAS 3500; 191 UNTS 143).  
 June 22, 1962 (14 UST 1039; TIAS 5401; 466 UNTS 323).  
 June 22, 1972 (25 UST 3253; TIAS 7987).

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> The Constitution of the ILO instrument of amendment, 1946, entered into force for the United States April 20, 1948. By letter dated November 5, 1975 the United States informed the Director-General of the ILO of its intention to withdraw from the organization. The withdrawal became effective November 6, 1977. By letter dated February 15, 1980 the United States informed the Director-General of its decision to resume membership in the organization and accordingly accepted the obligations of the ILO Constitution; which became effective February 18, 1980.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> With statement.

<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention (ILO No. 53) concerning the minimum requirement of professional capacity for masters and officers on board merchant ships. Adopted at the 21st session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, October 24, 1936; entered into force March 29, 1939; for the United States October 29, 1939.  
 54 Stat. 1683; TS 950; 3 Bevans 281; 40 UNTS 153.

**States which are parties:**

Argentina  
 Belgium  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Croatia<sup>1</sup>  
 Cuba  
 Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
 Djibouti  
 Egypt  
 Estonia  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>2</sup>  
 Germany<sup>3</sup>  
 Ireland

Israel  
 Italy  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Luxembourg  
 Mauritania  
 Mexico  
 New Zealand  
 Norway  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Slovenia  
 Spain  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 United States<sup>4,5</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> Extended to all Danish territories except Greenland.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> With understandings.

<sup>5</sup> Extended to all territories over which the United States has jurisdiction.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention (ILO No. 55) concerning the liability of the shipowner in case of sickness, injury or death of seamen. Adopted at the 21st session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, October 24, 1936; entered into force October 29, 1939.  
 54 Stat. 1693; TS 951; 3 Bevans 287; 40 UNTS 169.

**States which are parties:**

Belgium  
 Bulgaria  
 Djibouti  
 Egypt<sup>1</sup>  
 France<sup>1</sup>  
 Greece  
 Italy  
 Liberia  
 Luxembourg  
 Mexico  
 Morocco  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 Spain  
 Tunisia  
 United States<sup>2,3</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.

<sup>2</sup> With understandings.

<sup>3</sup> Extended to all territories over which the United States has jurisdiction.

Convention (ILO No. 58) fixing the minimum age for the admission of children to employment at sea (revised 1936). Adopted at the 22nd session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, October 24, 1936; entered into force April 11, 1939; for the United States October 29, 1939.  
 54 Stat. 1705; TS 952; 3 Bevans 294; 40 UNTS 205.

**Parties:**

Argentina

## LABOR (Cont'd)

Australia  
 Belize  
 Bermuda<sup>1</sup>  
 Canada  
 Djibouti  
 Fiji  
 Ghana  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Hong Kong<sup>2</sup>  
 Jamaica  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia  
 Mauritania  
 Mexico  
 New Zealand  
 Nigeria  
 Peru  
 Sierra Leone  
 Sri Lanka  
 Tanzania:  
   Zanzibar  
 United States<sup>3,4</sup>  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>5</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applied by the United Kingdom with modifications for Bermuda.

<sup>2</sup>CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

<sup>3</sup>With understandings.

<sup>4</sup>Extended to all territories over which the United States has jurisdiction.

<sup>5</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

Convention (ILO No. 74) concerning the certification of able seamen. Adopted at the 28th session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Seattle, June 29, 1946; entered into force July 14, 1951; for the United States April 9, 1954.

5 UST 605; TIAS 2949; 94 UNTS 11.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
 Angola  
 Barbados  
 Belgium  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Canada  
 Croatia  
 Egypt  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>1</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Hong Kong<sup>2</sup>  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Lebanon  
 Luxembourg  
 Macao<sup>2</sup>  
 Mauritius  
 Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Panama  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Slovenia  
 Spain  
 United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>

United States<sup>5,6</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Extended to Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana, and Reunion.

<sup>2</sup>CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>4</sup>Extended to Isle of Man, Jersey, and Guernsey.

<sup>5</sup>With understandings.

<sup>6</sup>Extended to Puerto Rico, Virgin Is., and Guam.

<sup>7</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral sections.

Convention (ILO No. 80) for the partial revision of the conventions adopted by the General Conference of the International Labor Organization at its first twenty-eight sessions (Final articles revision convention, 1946). Adopted at the 29th session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Montreal, October 9, 1946; entered into force May 28, 1947; for the United States June 24, 1948. 62 Stat. 1672; TIAS 1810; 4 Bevans 183; 38 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
 Argentina  
 Australia<sup>1</sup>  
 Austria  
 Bangladesh  
 Belgium  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Cuba  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Egypt  
 Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 India  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Mexico  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden

Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Thailand  
 Turkey  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Viet-Nam<sup>3</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Extended to Norfolk Is.

<sup>2</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

<sup>4</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention (ILO No. 105) concerning the abolition of forced labor. Adopted at the 40th session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, June 25, 1957; entered into force January 17, 1959; for the United States September 25, 1992. TIAS ; 320 UNTS 291.

Parties:  
 Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia<sup>1</sup>  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Djibouti  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador

**LABOR (Cont'd)**

Egypt	Romania	Burkina Faso
El Salvador	Russian Fed.	Burundi
Equatorial Guinea	Rwanda	Chad
Eritrea	St. Kitts & Nevis	Chile
Estonia	St. Lucia	China <sup>1</sup>
Ethiopia	St. Vincent & the Grenadines	Colombia
Fiji	San Marino	Congo
Finland	Saudi Arabia	Congo, Dem. Rep.
France	Senegal	Costa Rica
Gabon	Seychelles	Cote d'Ivoire
Gambia	Sierra Leone	Cyprus
Georgia	Slovak Rep.	Czech Rep.
Germany <sup>2</sup>	Slovenia	Denmark
Ghana	Somalia	Dominican Rep.
Greece	South Africa	Ecuador
Grenada	Spain	Egypt
Guatemala	Sudan	El Salvador
Guinea	Suriname	Estonia
Guinea-Bissau	Swaziland	Fiji
Guyana	Sweden	Finland
Haiti	Switzerland	France
Honduras	Syrian Arab Rep.	Gabon
Hong Kong <sup>3</sup>	Tajikistan	Germany, Fed. Rep. <sup>2</sup>
Hungary	Tanzania	Greece
Iceland	Thailand	Grenada
India	Togo	Guatemala
Indonesia	Trinidad & Tobago	Guinea
Iran	Tunisia	Guyana
Iraq	Turkey	Hungary
Ireland	Turkmenistan	Iceland
Israel	Uganda	India
Italy	Ukraine	Indonesia
Jamaica	United Arab Emirates	Iraq
Jordan	United Kingdom	Ireland
Kazakhstan	United States	Italy
Kenya	Uruguay	Jamaica
Kiribati	Uzbekistan	Kazakhstan
Kuwait	Venezuela	Kenya
Kyrgyz Rep.	Yemen <sup>4</sup>	Korea
Latvia	Zambia	Kuwait
Lebanon	Zimbabwe	Latvia
Lesotho		Lesotho
Liberia	NOTES:	Lithuania
Libya	<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).	Madagascar
Lithuania	<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL	Malawi
Luxembourg	REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.	Mauritius
Macao <sup>3</sup>	<sup>3</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has	Mexico
Malawi	made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.	Moldova
Mali	<sup>4</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral sec-	Mongolia
Malta	tion.	Mozambique
Mauritania	Convention (ILO No. 144) concerning tripartite	Namibia
Mauritius	consultations to promote the implementation of	Nepal
Mexico	international labor standards. Adopted at the	Netherlands
Moldova	61st session of the General Conference of the	New Zealand
Morocco	International Labor Organization, Geneva, June	Nicaragua
Mozambique	21, 1976; entered into force May 16, 1978.	Nigeria
Namibia	TIAS	Norway
Netherlands	Parties:	Pakistan
New Zealand <sup>1</sup>	Albania	Philippines
Nicaragua	Algeria	Poland
Niger	Argentina	Portugal
Nigeria	Australia	Romania
Norway	Austria	St. Kitts & Nevis
Pakistan	Azerbaijan	San Marino
Panama	Bahamas	Sao Tome & Principe
Papua New Guinea	Bangladesh	Sierra Leone
Paraguay	Barbados	Slovak Rep.
Peru	Belarus	Spain
Philippines	Belgium	Sri Lanka
Poland	Belize	Suriname
Portugal	Benin	Swaziland
	Botswana	Sweden
	Brazil	Switzerland
	Bulgaria	Syria
		Tanzania

**LABOR (Cont'd)**

Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Turkey  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yemen  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Convention (ILO No. 147) concerning minimum standards in merchant ships. Adopted at the 62nd session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, October 13, 1976; entered into force November 28, 1981.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Canada  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Finland  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Hong Kong<sup>2</sup>  
Iceland  
India  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Tajikistan  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

Convention (ILO No. 150) concerning labor administration: role, functions and organization. Adopted at the 64th session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, June 26, 1978; entered into force October 11, 1980; for the United States March 3, 1996.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Algeria  
Australia  
Belarus  
Belize  
Benin  
Burkina Faso  
Cambodia  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Finland  
Gabon  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Hong Kong<sup>1</sup>  
Iraq  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Korea  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Luxembourg  
Malawi  
Mexico  
Namibia  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
San Marino  
Seychelles  
Spain  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tunisia  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

Convention (ILO No. 160) concerning labor statistics. Adopted at the 71st session of the

General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, June 25, 1985; entered into force April 24, 1988; for the United States June 11, 1991.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Finland  
Germany  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Hong Kong<sup>1</sup>  
India  
Ireland  
Italy  
Korea  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Panama  
Poland  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
San Marino  
Slovak Rep.  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

North American agreement on labor cooperation, with annexes. Signed at Mexico, Washington and Ottawa September 8, 9, 12 and 14, 1993; entered into force January 1, 1994.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Canada  
Mexico  
United States

Convention (ILO No. 176) concerning safety and health in mines. Adopted at the 82nd session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, June 22, 1995; entered into force June 5, 1998; for the United States February 9, 2002.

## TIAS

**LABOR (Cont'd)**

## Parties:

Armenia  
Austria  
Botswana  
Czech Rep.  
Finland  
Germany  
Ireland  
Lebanon  
Norway  
Philippines  
Poland  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
United States  
Zambia

Convention (ILO No. 182) concerning the prohibition and immediate action for the elimination of the worst forms of child labor. Adopted at the 87th session of the General Conference of the International Labor Organization, Geneva, June 17, 1999; entered into force November 19, 2000; for the United States December 2, 2000.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Austria  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belize  
Benin  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guyana

Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Indonesia  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Libya  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Namibia  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Philippines  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Viet Nam  
Yemen  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**LAND-LOCKED STATES**

(See under **TRADE AND  
COMMERCE**)

**LAOS**

Declaration and protocol on the neutrality of Laos. Signed at Geneva July 23, 1962; entered into force July 23, 1962.

14 UST 1104; TIAS 5410; 456 UNTS 301.

Governments or regimes which are parties:

Burma  
Cambodia  
Canada  
China, People's Rep.  
France  
India  
Laos<sup>1</sup>  
Poland  
Thailand  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Viet-Nam, Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Viet Nam, Rep.<sup>3</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Party to protocol only.

<sup>2</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

**LAW, PRIVATE  
INTERNATIONAL**

(See also **JUDICIAL  
PROCEDURE**)

Statute of The Hague Conference on Private International Law. Done at the 7th session of the Conference at The Hague October 9–31, 1951; entered into force July 15, 1955; for the United States October 15, 1964.

15 UST 2228; TIAS 5710; 220 UNTS 121.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Finland

## LAW, PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL (Cont'd)

Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Jordan  
Korea  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia  
Malta  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>4</sup>  
Norway  
Panama  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania<sup>5</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles, Aruba and Suriname.

<sup>4</sup>With declaration.

<sup>5</sup>With designation(s).

<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Statute of the International Institute for the Unification of Private Law. Done at Rome March 15, 1940; entered into force July 15, 1955; for the United States March 13, 1964. 15 UST 2494; TIAS 5743.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Bulgaria

Canada  
Chile  
China  
Colombia  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Holy See  
Hungary  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Paraguay  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
San Marino  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>2</sup>

### Amendments:

June 15-16, 1965 (19 UST 7802; TIAS 6611).  
December 18, 1967 (20 UST 2529; TIAS 6716).

February 18, 1969 for articles 5, 11 and 16 (30 UST 5663; TIAS 9519).

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## LAW OF SEA (See under FISHERIES; MARITIME MATTERS; SEABEDS)

## LOAD LINES

(See under MARITIME  
MATTERS)

## MARINE POLLUTION

International convention for the prevention of pollution of the sea by oil, with annexes.\* Done at London May 12, 1954; entered into force July 26, 1958; for the United States December 8, 1961.

12 UST 2989; TIAS 4900; 327 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Argentina<sup>1 2</sup>  
Austria  
Bahamas, The<sup>1 2</sup>  
Bahrain\*\*  
Bangladesh\*\*  
Belgium  
Canada  
Chile<sup>2</sup>  
Congo\*\*  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominican Rep.  
Egypt  
Fiji<sup>1 2</sup>\*\*  
Finland  
France<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem Rep.<sup>2 3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guinea\*\*  
Iceland  
India  
Israel  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Japan  
Jordan\*\*  
Kenya  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait\*\*  
Lebanon  
Liberia<sup>2</sup>  
Libya\*\*  
Madagascar\*\*  
Maldives\*\*  
Malta  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
New Zealand  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>2</sup>  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Qatar\*\*  
Saudi Arabia<sup>2</sup>\*\*  
Senegal  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname

## MARINE POLLUTION (Cont'd)

Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tunisia<sup>2</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,4</sup>  
United Arab Emirates\*\*  
United Kingdom<sup>5</sup>  
United States<sup>1,6,7</sup>  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>8,\*\*\*</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>8,\*\*\*</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>

### Amendments:

April 11, 1962 (17 UST 1523; TIAS 6109; 600 UNTS 332).

October 21, 1969 (28 UST 1205; TIAS 8505).

### NOTES:

\* Superseded by the 1978 protocol relating to the international convention for the prevention of pollution from ships as between parties to that protocol.

\*\* Not party to the 1978 protocol.

<sup>1</sup> With a statement.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Extended to Bermuda.

<sup>6</sup> Extended to American Samoa, Guam, Midway, Wake and Johnston Is., Trust Territories of the Pacific Is., Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Is.

<sup>7</sup> With an understanding and a recommendation.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention relating to intervention on the high seas in cases of oil pollution casualties, with annex. Done at Brussels November 29, 1969; entered into force May 6, 1975.

26 UST 765; TIAS 8068.

States which are parties:

Angola  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Bahamas, The  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bulgaria  
Cameroon  
Chile  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominican Rep.

Ecuador  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Fiji  
Finland  
France<sup>4</sup>  
Gabon  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Guyana  
Iceland  
India  
Iran  
Ireland  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>4</sup>  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Senegal  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>4,8</sup>  
United States<sup>9</sup>  
Vanuatu  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>10</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>11</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> With statements.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is., United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelai on the Island of Cyprus.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, Trust Territories of the Pacific Is., and the Virgin Is.

<sup>10</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the prevention of marine pollution by dumping of wastes and other matter, with annexes. Done at Washington, London, Mexico City and Moscow December 29, 1972; entered into force August 30, 1975.

26 UST 2403; TIAS 8165; 1046 UNTS 120.

Parties:

Afghanistan  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia  
Azerbaijan  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Belize<sup>2</sup>  
Brazil  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Denmark<sup>4</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Egypt  
Finland  
France<sup>1,5</sup>  
Gabon  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,6</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
Greece<sup>5</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Iran  
Ireland  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea  
Libya  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Nauru  
Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>8</sup>

## MARINE POLLUTION (Cont'd)

Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
St. Lucia  
Seychelles  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
South Africa  
Spain  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tonga  
Tunisia  
Tuvalu<sup>2</sup>  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States  
Vanuatu  
Yugoslavia<sup>11</sup>

Amendment:  
November 12, 1993.

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With statement.  
<sup>2</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> Extended to Faroe Is.  
<sup>5</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>8</sup> Not applicable to Cook Is., Niue, and Tokelau Is.  
<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>10</sup> Extended to Bailiwick of Guernsey, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Ducie and Oeno Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Henderson, Isle of Man, Bailiwick of Jersey, Montserrat, Pitcairn, St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is., and United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia on the Island of Cyprus.  
<sup>11</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol relating to intervention on the high seas in cases of pollution by substances other than oil. Done at London November 2, 1973; entered into force March 30, 1983. TIAS 10561.

States which are parties:

Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Bahamas, The  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Chile  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Croatia  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Finland  
France<sup>3</sup>  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Iran  
Ireland  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Latvia  
Liberia  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mexico  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Poland  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tonga  
Tunisia  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>17</sup>  
United States  
Vanuatu  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>8</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>

Amendment:  
July 10, 1996.

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and dependencies, Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia on the Island of Cyprus, and Turks and Caicos Is.  
<sup>8</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.  
<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol of 1978 relating to the international convention for the prevention of pollution from

ships, 1973, with annexes and protocols.<sup>1</sup> Done at London February 17, 1978; entered into force October 2, 1983.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Algeria<sup>2</sup>  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina<sup>3</sup>  
Australia<sup>4</sup>  
Austria  
Bahamas, The<sup>4</sup>  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Brazil<sup>3</sup>  
Brunei<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
Burma<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
Cambodia  
Canada<sup>2 4 6</sup>  
Chile<sup>6</sup>  
China<sup>4 7</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>4 5</sup>  
Cyprus<sup>4 5</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>2 8</sup>  
Djibouti<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
Dominica<sup>4</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Estonia  
Finland  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>9</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>9</sup>  
Ghana<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Honduras<sup>4 5</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland<sup>4</sup>  
India<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>2 4 5 6</sup>  
Iran<sup>4</sup>  
Ireland<sup>2 4</sup>  
Israel<sup>4 6</sup>  
Italy<sup>10</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>3</sup>  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia<sup>4</sup>  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malawi

## MARINE POLLUTION (Cont'd)

Malaysia<sup>2 4 5</sup>  
 Malta<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
 Marshall Is.<sup>11</sup>  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico<sup>4 5</sup>  
 Monaco  
 Morocco  
 Namibia<sup>4</sup>  
 Netherlands<sup>2 4 12</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>2 4</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Nigeria  
 Norway<sup>10</sup>  
 Oman<sup>2</sup>  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania<sup>4 5</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore<sup>4</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa<sup>4</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Suriname  
 Sweden<sup>10</sup>  
 Switzerland  
 Syria<sup>3 4 5 6</sup>  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey<sup>4 5</sup>  
 Tuvalu  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>13</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>3 14</sup>  
 United States<sup>2 4</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Vanuatu<sup>4</sup>  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam<sup>4 5 6</sup>  
 Western Samoa  
 Yugoslavia<sup>15</sup>

### Amendments:

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 October 17, 1989.  
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 July 4, 1991.  
 March 6, 1992.  
 October 30, 1992.

October 30, 1992.  
 September 14, 1995.  
 July 10, 1996.  
 July 10, 1996.  
 July 10, 1996.  
 September 25, 1997.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> The 1978 protocol incorporates with modifications the provisions of the international convention for the prevention of pollution from ships, including its annexes and protocol, signed at London November 2, 1973. The 1973 convention is not intended to enter into force and be applied on its own. Accordingly, as of October 2, 1983 the regime to be applied by the states parties to the 1978 protocol will be the regime contained in the 1973 convention as modified by the 1978 protocol.

Annex III entered into force July 1, 1992; Annex IV September 27, 2003; and Annex V December 31, 1988.

The 1978 protocol supersedes the international convention for the prevention of pollution of the sea by oil of May 12, 1954 (TIAS 4900) as between the contracting parties to the 1978 protocol.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>3</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>4</sup> Not a party to Annex IV.

<sup>5</sup> Not a party to Annex III.

<sup>6</sup> Not a party to Annex V.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Faroe Is.

<sup>9</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> With statement(s).

<sup>11</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>12</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>13</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>14</sup> Applicable to Bermuda, the Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, and Isle of Man.

<sup>15</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the protection and development of the marine environment of the wider Caribbean region, with annex. Done at Cartagena March 24, 1983; entered into force October 11, 1986.  
 TIAS 11085.

Protocol concerning cooperation in combating oil spills in the wider Caribbean region, with annex. Done at Cartagena March 24, 1983; entered into force October 11, 1986.  
 TIAS 11085.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Barbados  
 Colombia  
 Cuba  
 Dominica  
 France<sup>1</sup>  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Jamaica  
 Mexico<sup>1</sup>

Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
 Panama  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 United Kingdom<sup>14</sup>  
 United States  
 Venezuela

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.

<sup>3</sup> Not a party to the protocol.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to British Virgin Is., Cayman Is. and Turks and Caicos Is.

International convention on oil pollution preparedness, response and co-operation, 1990. Done at London November 30, 1990; entered into force May 13, 1995.

### TIAS

#### Parties:

Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Bahamas  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 China  
 Comoros  
 Croatia  
 Denmark  
 Djibouti  
 Dominica  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Finland  
 France  
 Georgia  
 Germany  
 Greece  
 Guinea  
 Guyana  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Iran  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Latvia  
 Liberia  
 Lithuania  
 Madagascar  
 Malaysia  
 Marshall Is.  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Monaco  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Peru

## MARINE POLLUTION (Cont'd)

Romania  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela

## MARINE SCIENCE

Convention for a North Pacific Marine Science Organization (PICES). Done at Ottawa December 12, 1990; entered into force March 24, 1992.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Canada  
China  
Japan  
Korea  
Russian Fed.  
United States

## MARITIME MATTERS

(See also INTERNATIONAL  
MARITIME ORGANIZATION;  
LABOR; MARINE POLLUTION;  
RED CROSS CONVENTIONS;  
RULES OF WARFARE;  
SEABEDS)

Convention for the unification of certain rules of law with respect to assistance and salvage at sea. Signed at Brussels September 23, 1910; entered into force March 1, 1913.

37 Stat. 1658; TS 576; 1 Bevans 780.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
Argentina  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Austria  
Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>1</sup>  
Brazil  
Canada  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Croatia  
Cyprus<sup>1</sup>

Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gambia, The<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>3,4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3,4,5</sup>  
Ghana<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
Haiti  
Hong Kong<sup>6</sup>  
Hungary  
India  
Iran  
Italy  
Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Kiribati<sup>1</sup>  
Latvia  
Luxembourg  
Macao<sup>6</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Malta<sup>1</sup>  
Mauritius<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico  
New Zealand  
Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
Oman  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>7</sup>  
Romania  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
Seychelles<sup>1</sup>  
Sierra Leone<sup>1</sup>  
Singapore  
Solomon Is.  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
Turkey  
Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>8</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

In addition, the depositary (Belgium) lists as "countries involved" the following states to which the convention was extended prior to their independence: Angola, Cape Verde, Guinea-Bissau, Ireland, Kenya, Mozambique, Sao Tome & Principe and Somalia.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to Norfolk Is.

<sup>3</sup> Notification of denunciation October 8, 2001; effective October 8, 2002.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Convention applicable to the Federal Republic of Germany except for relations with Hungary, New Zealand, Poland, Romania, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and Uruguay.

<sup>6</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to all Portuguese territories.

<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention for the unification of certain rules relating to bills of lading for the carriage of goods by sea, with protocol of signature. Done at Brussels August 25, 1924; entered into force June 2, 1931; for the United States December 29, 1937.

51 Stat. 233; TS 931; 2 Bevans 430; 120 LNTS 155.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
Argentina  
Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Belize<sup>1</sup>  
Bolivia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cote d'Ivoire<sup>2</sup>  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Cyprus<sup>1</sup>  
Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
Fiji<sup>2</sup>  
France<sup>3</sup>  
Gambia, The<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,4,5</sup>  
Ghana<sup>1</sup>  
Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
Hong Kong<sup>6</sup>  
Hungary  
Iran  
Ireland<sup>2</sup>  
Israel  
Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
Kiribati<sup>1</sup>  
Kuwait<sup>2,7</sup>  
Lebanon  
Luxembourg  
Macao<sup>6</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Mauritius  
Monaco  
Nauru<sup>1</sup>  
Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
Papua New Guinea<sup>1</sup>  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>8</sup>  
Romania  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles<sup>1</sup>  
Sierra Leone<sup>2</sup>

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

Singapore  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
Turkey  
Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2,9</sup>  
United States<sup>7,10</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>11</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

In addition, the depositary (Belgium) lists as "countries involved", the following states to which the convention was extended prior to their independence: Angola, Cape Verde, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Mozambique, Sao Tome & Principe and Somalia.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> Not including colonies, possessions or overseas territories.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Convention applicable to the Federal Republic of Germany except for relations with Hungary, Poland, and Romania.

<sup>6</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

<sup>7</sup> The United States is unable to accept the reservation made by Kuwait and does not regard the convention as in force between the United States and Kuwait.

<sup>8</sup> Including all territories.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to Ascension Is. and St. Helena.

<sup>10</sup> With understandings.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement regarding financial support of the North Atlantic ice patrol. Opened for signature at Washington January 4, 1956; entered into force July 5, 1956.

7 UST 1969; TIAS 3597; 256 UNTS 171.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Italy  
Japan  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
Norway  
Panama  
Poland  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom

United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>3</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the high seas. Done at Geneva April 29, 1958; entered into force September 30, 1962.

13 UST 2312; TIAS 5200; 450 UNTS 82.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania<sup>1,2</sup>  
Australia<sup>3</sup>  
Austria  
Belarus<sup>1,2</sup>  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria<sup>1,2</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Cambodia  
Central African Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark<sup>3</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Fiji<sup>3</sup>  
Finland  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,2,4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3,4</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary<sup>1,2</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Israel<sup>3</sup>  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>3</sup>  
Kenya  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Madagascar<sup>3</sup>  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mauritius  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
Mongolia<sup>2</sup>  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>3,5</sup>  
Nigeria  
Poland<sup>1,2</sup>  
Portugal<sup>3</sup>  
Romania<sup>1,2</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>2</sup>  
Swaziland  
Switzerland  
Thailand<sup>3</sup>  
Tonga<sup>3</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Uganda  
Ukraine<sup>1,2</sup>

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,2,6</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>3</sup>  
United States<sup>3</sup>  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> With declaration.

<sup>3</sup> With a statement.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the continental shelf. Done at Geneva April 29, 1958; entered into force June 10, 1964.

15 UST 471; TIAS 5578; 499 UNTS 311.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Australia  
Belarus  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Cambodia  
Canada<sup>1,2</sup>  
China (Taiwan)<sup>3,4</sup>  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Fiji<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
France<sup>1,3</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Greece<sup>3</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Israel  
Jamaica  
Kenya  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Netherlands<sup>2,6</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>2</sup>  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.  
Solomon Is.  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>1,2</sup>  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand<sup>2</sup>

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

Tonga<sup>2</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>2</sup>  
Venezuela<sup>3</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>2,3,8</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With declaration.  
<sup>2</sup> With a statement.  
<sup>3</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the territorial sea and contiguous zone. Done at Geneva April 29, 1958; entered into force September 10, 1964.

15 UST 1606; TIAS 5639; 516 UNTS 205.

States which are parties:

Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Belarus<sup>2</sup>  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
Cambodia  
Croatia  
Czech Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Fiji<sup>1</sup>  
Finland  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2,4</sup>  
Haiti  
Hungary<sup>2</sup>  
Israel<sup>1</sup>  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Kenya  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Lithuania  
Madagascar<sup>1</sup>  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico<sup>2</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>1,5</sup>  
Nigeria  
Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
Romania<sup>2</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone<sup>3</sup>  
Slovak Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.

South Africa  
Spain<sup>3</sup>  
Swaziland  
Switzerland  
Thailand<sup>1</sup>  
Tonga<sup>1</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Uganda  
Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,6</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Venezuela<sup>2</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With a statement.  
<sup>2</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>3</sup> With a declaration.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Inter-American convention on facilitation of international waterborne transportation, with annex. Signed at Mar del Plata June 7, 1963; entered into force January 11, 1981.

TIAS 12064.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Chile<sup>1,2</sup>  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Guatemala  
Mexico  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru<sup>1</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> With statement(s).

Convention on facilitation of international maritime traffic, with annex. Done at London April 9, 1965; entered into force March 5, 1967; for the United States May 16, 1967.

18 UST 411; TIAS 6251; 591 UNTS 265.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Benin  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burundi  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia

Congo  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
Estonia  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jordan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Thailand  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>5</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>6</sup>  
Uruguay<sup>7</sup>  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>8</sup>

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>  
Zambia

Amendments:  
November 19, 1973 (TIAS 11092).  
November 10, 1977.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>With reservation.

<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>5</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup>Extended to American Samoa, Guam, Midway, Wake and Johnston Is., Trust Territories of the Pacific Is., Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Is.

<sup>7</sup>With declaration(s).

<sup>8</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea. Done at Copenhagen September 12, 1964; entered into force July 22, 1968; for the United States April 18, 1973.

24 UST 1080; TIAS 7628; 652 UNTS 237.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

Amendment:  
August 13, 1970 (27 UST 1022; TIAS 8238).

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

International convention on load lines, 1966. Done at London April 5, 1966; entered into force July 21, 1968.

18 UST 1857; TIAS 6331; 640 UNTS 133.

States which are parties:

Algeria

Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China<sup>1 2 3 4</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cook Is.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>5</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German, Dem. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.

Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Malta  
Marshall Is.<sup>7</sup>  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Netherlands<sup>8</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Tuvalu  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States<sup>11</sup>  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>12</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>12</sup>

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Yugoslavia<sup>13</sup>  
Zambia

Proces-verbal of rectification of the international convention on load lines, 1966. Signed at London January 30, 1969. 20 UST 17; TIAS 6629.

Proces-verbal of rectification of the international convention on load lines, 1966. Signed at London May 5, 1969. 20 UST 2577; TIAS 6720.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> With a statement.

<sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Bermuda, Cayman Is., Gibraltar, and Isle of Man.

<sup>11</sup> Extended to American Samoa, Guam, Midway, Wake and Johnston Is., Trust Territories of the Pacific Is., Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Is.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>13</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention on tonnage measurement of ships, 1969, with annexes. Done at London June 23, 1969; entered into force July 18, 1982; for the United States February 10, 1983.

TIAS 10490.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Brunei

Bulgaria  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Cook Is.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
France<sup>4</sup>  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Malta  
Marshall Is.<sup>5</sup>  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>7</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Norway

Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Tuvalu  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>8</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
United States<sup>10</sup>  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>11</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> Not extended to Cook Is., Niue and Tokelau.

<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to Bermuda, Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Guernsey, and Isle of Man.

<sup>10</sup> With understanding.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the international regulations for preventing collisions at sea, 1972.\* Done at

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London October 20, 1972; entered into force July 15, 1977.

28 UST 3459; TIAS 8587.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>2</sup>  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cook Is.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia

Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati<sup>2</sup>  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Liberia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Malta  
Marshall Is.<sup>6</sup>  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Tuvalu  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>8</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
United States<sup>10</sup>  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela

Vietnam  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>11</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>

Amendments:

November 19, 1981 (TIAS 10672).

November 19, 1987.

October 19, 1989.

NOTES:

\*The 1972 convention replaces and abrogates the international regulations for preventing collisions at sea, 1960 (16 UST 794; TIAS 5813). Parties to the 1960 regulations not parties to the 1972 convention are: Lebanon, Libya, Madagascar, Paraguay, Philippines, and Suriname.

<sup>1</sup>With statement.

<sup>2</sup>Provisional application.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup>On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>7</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>8</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup>Extended to Bailiwick of Guernsey, Bailiwick of Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn Is. group, St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is.

<sup>10</sup>Extended to American Samoa, Baker Is., Guam, Howland Is., Jarvis Is., Johnston Is., Kingman Reef, Midway, Navassa Is., Palmyra Is., Puerto Rico, Trust Territory of the Pacific Is., Virgin Is., and Wake Is.

<sup>11</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention for the safety of life at sea, 1960.\* Done at London June 17, 1960; entered into force May 26, 1965.

16 UST 185; TIAS 5780; 536 UNTS 27.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
Bangladesh  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
Chile  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Congo, Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czechoslovakia<sup>4</sup>  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador

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Egypt	Tunisia	Burma
Equatorial Guinea	Turkey	Cambodia
Fiji <sup>1</sup>	Union of Soviet Socialist Reps. <sup>7</sup>	Cameroon
Finland	United Kingdom <sup>18</sup>	Canada
France <sup>1</sup>	United States <sup>19</sup>	Cape Verde
Gabon	Uruguay	Chile
Gambia, The	Venezuela	China <sup>2,3</sup>
German Dem. Rep. <sup>5</sup>	Viet-Nam, Rep. <sup>10</sup>	Colombia
Germany, Fed. Rep. <sup>15</sup>	Western Samoa	Comoros
Ghana	Yemen (Aden) <sup>3,11</sup>	Congo
Greece <sup>1</sup>	Yemen (Sanaa) <sup>11</sup>	Cote d'Ivoire
Guinea	Yugoslavia <sup>12</sup>	Croatia
Haiti	Zambia <sup>3</sup>	Cuba
Honduras		Cyprus
Hungary <sup>1</sup>	Proces-verbal of rectification of Annexes to the international convention for the safety of life at sea, 1960. Signed at London February 15, 1966.	Czech Rep.
Iceland	18 UST 1289; TIAS 6284.	Denmark
India		Djibouti
Indonesia	NOTES:	Dominica
Iran	* Replaced and abrogated by the 1974 con- vention for the safety of life at sea as between contracting governments.	Dominican Rep.
Iraq	<sup>1</sup> With a statement.	Ecuador
Ireland <sup>1</sup>	<sup>2</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.	Egypt
Israel	<sup>3</sup> Not a party to the 1974 convention.	Equatorial Guinea
Italy	<sup>4</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.	Eritrea
Jamaica	<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.	Estonia
Japan <sup>1</sup>	<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.	Ethiopia <sup>4</sup>
Kenya <sup>3</sup>	<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SO- CIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.	Fiji
Korea	<sup>8</sup> Extended to Bermuda.	Finland
Kuwait <sup>1</sup>	<sup>9</sup> Extended to American Samoa, Guam, Midway, Wake and Johnston Is., Trust Terri- tories of the Pacific Is., Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Is.	France <sup>2</sup>
Lebanon	<sup>10</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AGRI- CULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).	Gabon
Liberia	<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.	Gambia
Libya	<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilat- eral section.	Georgia
Madagascar <sup>1</sup>		German Dem. Rep. <sup>5</sup>
Malaysia	International convention for the safety of life at sea, 1974, with annex. <sup>1</sup> Done at London No- vember 1, 1974; entered into force May 25, 1980.	Germany, Fed. Rep. <sup>5</sup>
Maldives	32 UST 47; TIAS 9700.	Ghana
Mauritania	States which are parties:	Greece
Mexico	Algeria	Guatemala
Monaco	Angola	Guinea
Morocco	Antigua & Barbuda	Guyana
Nauru <sup>3</sup>	Argentina	Haiti
Netherlands <sup>6</sup>	Australia	Honduras
New Zealand	Austria	Hungary
Nicaragua <sup>3</sup>	Azerbaijan	Iceland
Nigeria	Bahamas, The	India
Norway <sup>1</sup>	Bahrain	Indonesia
Oman	Bangladesh	Iran
Pakistan <sup>1</sup>	Barbados	Iraq
Panama	Belarus	Ireland
Papua New Guinea <sup>1</sup>	Belgium	Israel
Paraguay <sup>3</sup>	Belize	Italy
Peru	Benin	Jamaica
Philippines	Bolivia	Japan
Poland	Brazil	Jordan
Portugal	Brunei	Kazakhstan
Qatar	Bulgaria	Kenya
Romania		Korea, Dem. People's Rep.
Saudi Arabia		Korea, Rep.
Senegal		Kuwait
Seychelles		Latvia
Singapore		Lebanon
Slovak Rep.		Liberia
Somalia <sup>3</sup>		Libya
South Africa		Lithuania
Spain		Luxembourg
Sri Lanka		Madagascar
Sweden		Malawi
Switzerland		Malaysia
Syrian Arab Rep. <sup>3</sup>		Maldives
Tonga		Malta
Trinidad & Tobago		Marshall Is. <sup>6</sup>
		Mauritania
		Mauritius
		Mexico
		Monaco
		Mongolia
		Morocco

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

Mozambique  
 Namibia  
 Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>8</sup>  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Samoa  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Tuvalu  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>11</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>

Proces-verbal of rectification to the international convention for the safety of life at sea, 1974. Done at London December 22, 1982. TIAS 10626.

Amendments:  
 November 20, 1981.  
 June 17, 1983.  
 April 21, 1988.  
 October 28, 1988.  
 November 9, 1988.  
 April 11, 1989.  
 May 25, 1990.  
 May 23, 1991.

April 10, 1992.  
 December 11, 1992.  
 May 23, 1994.  
 May 24, 1994.  
 May 16, 1995.  
 June 4, 1996.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Replaces convention of 1960 as between contracting parties.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>8</sup> With declaration.

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Bermuda, Cayman Is., Gibraltar, and Isle of Man.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol of 1978 relating to the international convention for the safety of life at sea, 1974. Done at London February 17, 1978; entered into force May 1, 1981.

32 UST 5577; TIAS 10009.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The  
 Barbados  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Brunei  
 Bulgaria  
 Burma  
 Cambodia  
 Chile  
 China<sup>1</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Comoros  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica  
 Egypt  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
 Finland  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guinea  
 Guyana  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Malaysia  
 Malta  
 Marshall Is.<sup>4</sup>  
 Mauritania  
 Mexico  
 Morocco  
 Namibia  
 Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Samoa  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Togo  
 Tunisia  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Vanuatu  
 Viet Nam  
 Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>

Amendments:  
 November 20, 1981.  
 November 10, 1988.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

<sup>2</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>On October 15, 1986 the Compact of Free Association entered into force between the Government of the United States and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, effective October 21, 1986.

<sup>5</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup>With declaration.

<sup>7</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup>Applicable to Bermuda, Cayman Is., Gibraltar, and Isle of Man.

<sup>9</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention on standards of training, certification and watchkeeping for seafarers, 1978. Done at London July 7, 1978; entered into force April 28, 1984; for the United States October 1, 1991.

TIAS

Parties:

Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burma  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>2</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Chile<sup>2</sup>  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1 2</sup>  
Dominica  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji

Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German, Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5 6</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>8</sup>  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia

Solomon Is.  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syria  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Tuvalu  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>2 10</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Western Samoa  
Yugoslavia<sup>11</sup>

Amendments:

May 22, 1991.

May 23, 1994.

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With a statement.

<sup>2</sup>With a reservation.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup>With a declaration.

<sup>7</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>8</sup>Applicable to Cook Is. and Nieu.

<sup>9</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup>Applicable to Bermuda, Cayman Is., and Isle of Man.

<sup>11</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention on maritime search and rescue, 1979, with annex. Done at Hamburg April 27, 1979; entered into force June 22, 1985.

TIAS 11093.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>2</sup>  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>1 3</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

Cuba  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Ecuador  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Greece<sup>5</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Iran  
Ireland  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Netherlands  
New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>2</sup>  
Senegal  
Singapore  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7 8</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

<sup>2</sup> Provisional application.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Cook Is. and Niue.  
<sup>7</sup> With statement.  
<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>9</sup> Extended to Anguilla, the Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Gibraltar, and Isle of Man.

Convention for the suppression of unlawful acts against the safety of maritime navigation. Done at Rome March 10, 1988; entered into force March 1, 1992; for the United States March 6, 1995.

### TIAS

#### Parties:

Albania  
Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia  
Austria  
Barbados  
Bolivia  
Botswana  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Finland  
France<sup>1 2</sup>  
Gambia  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Italy  
Japan  
Kenya  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Seychelles  
Slovak Rep.  
Spain

Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia<sup>2</sup>  
Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Vietnam  
Yemen

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).

Protocol of 1988 relating to the international convention on load lines, 1966, with annexes. Done at London November 11, 1988; entered into force February 3, 2000.

### TIAS

#### Parties:

Algeria  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Cambodia  
Chile  
China  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Iceland  
India  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Latvia  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Malawi  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mexico  
Namibia  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Tonga  
Tunisia  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam

Protocol of 1988 relating to the international convention for the safety of life at sea, 1974, with annex. Done at London November 11, 1988; entered into force February 3, 2000.

TIAS

Parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Cambodia  
Chile  
China  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Finland  
France  
Georgia  
Germany  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Iceland  
India  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Latvia  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Malawi  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mexico  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden

Syria  
Tonga  
Tunisia  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Protocol for the suppression of unlawful acts against the safety of fixed platforms located on the continental shelf. Done at Rome March 10, 1988; entered into force March 1, 1992; for the United States March 6, 1995.

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
Australia  
Austria  
Barbados  
Bolivia  
Botswana  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Finland  
France<sup>1 3</sup>  
Germany<sup>1</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Italy  
Japan  
Kenya  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Seychelles  
Slovak Rep.  
Spain  
Sudan  
Sweden

Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom<sup>3 4</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Vietnam  
Yemen

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>2</sup> Not applicable to the Faroe Is. nor to Greenland.

<sup>3</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Isle of Man.

International convention on salvage, 1989. Done at London April 28, 1989; entered into force July 14, 1996.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>1 2</sup>  
Croatia<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Egypt  
Estonia  
France  
Georgia  
Germany  
Greece  
Guyana  
Iceland  
India  
Iran<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
Italy  
Jordan  
Kenya  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Marshall Is.  
Mexico<sup>1 3</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Oman  
Romania  
Russian Fed.<sup>1</sup>  
Saudi Arabia<sup>1</sup>  
Sierra Leone  
Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland  
Syria  
Tunisia<sup>1</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>1 4</sup>  
United States  
Vanuatu

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With declaration(s).

## MARITIME MATTERS (Cont'd)

<sup>4</sup>Extended to Anguilla, the Bailiwick of Jersey, the Antarctic Territory, the Indian Ocean Territory, the Cayman Is., the Isle of Man, Falkland Is., Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and its Dependencies, South Georgia, South Sandwich Is., Turks & Caicos Is., and the Virgin Is.

## METEOROLOGY

(See **WORLD  
METEOROLOGICAL  
ORGANIZATION**)

## METROLOGY

(See under **WEIGHTS AND  
MEASURES**)

## MIGRATION

Constitution of the Intergovernmental Committee for Migration. Adopted at Venice October 19, 1953; entered into force November 30, 1954.

6 UST 603; TIAS 3197; 207 UNTS 189.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cyprus  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Israel  
Italy  
Kenya  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Portugal  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela

Amendment:  
May 20, 1987.

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

## MOROCCO

Convention for the establishment of the right of protection in Morocco.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Madrid July 3, 1880; entered into force May 1, 1881; for the United States March 9, 1882; effective July 3, 1880.

22 Stat. 817; TS 246; 1 Bevans 71.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Denmark  
France  
Italy  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Extraterritorial jurisdiction in Morocco relinquished by the United States October 6, 1956. Article 15 relating to Moroccan nationality is obsolete and without effect.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

General act of the international conference at Algeciras, with an additional protocol.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Algeciras (Spain) April 7, 1906; entered into force December 31, 1906.

34 Stat. 2905; TS 456; 1 Bevans 464.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
France  
Italy  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Extraterritorial jurisdiction in Morocco relinquished by the United States October 6, 1956.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>With reservation and understanding.

Declaration and protocol of the conference on the status of Tangier. Signed at Tangier October 29, 1956; entered into force October 29, 1956.

7 UST 3035; TIAS 3680; 263 UNTS 165.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
France

Italy  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
United States

## MOSCOW AGREEMENT

(See under **WORLD WAR II**)

## NARCOTIC DRUGS

Single convention on narcotic drugs, 1961. Done at New York March 30, 1961; entered into force December 13, 1964; for the United States June 24, 1967.<sup>1</sup>

18 UST 1407; TIAS 6298; 520 UNTS 204.

Protocol amending the single convention on narcotic drugs, 1961. Done at Geneva March 25, 1972; entered into force August 8, 1975.

26 UST 1439; TIAS 8118; 976 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan\*  
Algeria<sup>2</sup>\*  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina<sup>2,3</sup>  
Australia<sup>4</sup>  
Austria<sup>5</sup>  
Azerbaijan\*  
Bahamas, The  
Bangladesh<sup>2</sup>  
Barbados  
Belarus<sup>2</sup>  
Belgium<sup>6</sup>  
Belize<sup>7</sup>  
Benin  
Botswana  
Brazil<sup>6</sup>  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso\*  
Burma<sup>2</sup>\*  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>6</sup>  
Chad\*  
Chile  
China (Taiwan)<sup>2,8</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>6</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador\*  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia<sup>9</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland

## NARCOTIC DRUGS (Cont'd)

Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>2 10</sup>  
 Gabon\*  
 Gambia, The\*  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>2 11</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>11</sup>  
 Ghana\*  
 Greece<sup>6</sup>  
 Grenada<sup>7</sup>  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea\*  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana\*  
 Haiti  
 Holy See  
 Honduras  
 Hong Kong<sup>12 \*</sup>  
 Hungary<sup>2</sup>  
 Iceland  
 India<sup>2 6</sup>  
 Indonesia<sup>2</sup>  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel<sup>6</sup>  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Kiribati<sup>7</sup>  
 Korea  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.\*  
 Laos\*  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia\*  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania\*  
 Luxembourg  
 Macao<sup>12 \*</sup>  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Mali  
 Marshall Is.\*  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico<sup>6</sup>  
 Micronesia\*  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Mozambique\*  
 Nauru<sup>2 7</sup>  
 Netherlands<sup>13</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>14</sup>  
 Nicaragua\*  
 Niger  
 Nigeria\*  
 Norway  
 Oman\*  
 Pakistan<sup>2</sup>  
 Panama<sup>6</sup>  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>2</sup>

Paraguay  
 Peru<sup>6</sup>  
 Philippines  
 Poland<sup>2</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Romania<sup>2 6</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia\*  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino  
 Sao Tome & Principe\*  
 Saudi Arabia\*  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles<sup>7</sup>  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Solomon Is.\*  
 Somalia\*  
 South Africa<sup>2</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan\*  
 Tuvalu<sup>7</sup>  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2 15 \*</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>16</sup>  
 United States<sup>17</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Viet-Nam<sup>18</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>6 19</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe\*

### NOTES:

\* Not party to the 1972 protocol.

<sup>1</sup> The single convention on narcotic drugs replaced as between the contracting parties the following conventions to which the United States is a party:

- (a) Convention of January 23, 1912 relating to the suppression of the abuse of opium and other drugs (38 Stat. 1912; TS 612; 1 Bevans 855; 8 LNTS 187), as amended by the protocol of December 11, 1946 (61 Stat. 2230, 62 Stat. 1796; TIAS 1671, 1859; 4 Bevans 267; 12 UNTS 179).
- (b) Convention of July 13, 1931 for limiting the manufacture and regulating the distribution of narcotic drugs (48 Stat. 1543; TS 863; 3 Bevans 1; 139 LNTS 301), as amended by the protocol of December 11, 1946 (61 Stat. 2230, 62 Stat. 1796; TIAS 1671, 1859; 4 Bevans 267; 12 UNTS 179).
- (c) Protocol bringing under international control drugs outside the scope of the convention of July 13, 1931, as amended (see above) (2 UST 1629; TIAS 2308; 44 UNTS 277).

- (d) Protocol for limiting and regulating the cultivation of the poppy plant, the production of, international and wholesale trade in, and use of opium (14 UST 10; TIAS 5273; 456 UNTS 3).

Parties to (or otherwise obligated under) the above conventions and protocols which are not parties to the single convention of 1961 include: Albania (1912, 1931, 1948); Cambodia (1912, 1931, 1953); Central African Republic (1912, 1931, 1948, 1953); Congo (1912, 1931, 1948, 1953); Estonia (1912, 1931); Tanzania (1931, 1948); Western Samoa (1948, 1953).

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> With statement.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to the non-metropolitan territories for the international relations of which Australia is responsible.

<sup>5</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>6</sup> With reservation(s) to the 1972 protocol.

<sup>7</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>8</sup> The Taiwan authorities have adhered to the 1961 convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Applicable to the whole of the territory of the French Republic.

<sup>11</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> CHINA is not a party to these treaties but has made them applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

<sup>13</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>14</sup> Applicable to the Cook Is. (including Niue) and Tokelau Is.

<sup>15</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>16</sup> Applicable to Anguilla, Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, St. Helena, Turks and Caicos Is.

<sup>17</sup> Applicable to all areas for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.

<sup>18</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).

<sup>19</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on psychotropic substances. Done at Vienna February 21, 1971; entered into force August 16, 1976; for the United States July 15, 1980.

32 UST 543; TIAS 9725; 1019 UNTS 175.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan<sup>1</sup>  
 Algeria  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas  
 Bahrain<sup>1</sup>  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados

## NARCOTIC DRUGS (Cont'd)

Belarus <sup>1</sup>	Korea, Rep.	Tunisia <sup>1</sup>
Belgium	Kuwait	Turkey <sup>1</sup>
Belize	Kyrgyz Rep.	Turkmenistan
Benin	Laos	Uganda
Bolivia	Latvia	Ukraine <sup>1</sup>
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Lebanon	United Arab Emirates
Botswana	Lesotho	United Kingdom <sup>8</sup>
Brazil <sup>1</sup>	Libya <sup>1</sup>	United States <sup>1</sup>
Brunei	Liechtenstein	Uruguay
Bulgaria	Lithuania	Uzbekistan
Burkina Faso	Luxembourg	Vatican City
Burma	Madagascar	Venezuela
Burundi	Malawi	Viet Nam
Cameroon	Malaysia	Yemen
Canada <sup>1</sup>	Maldives	Yugoslavia <sup>1,9</sup>
Cape Verde	Mali	Zambia
Central African Rep.	Malta	Zimbabwe
Chad	Marshall Is.	
Chile	Mauritania	NOTES:
China <sup>1,2</sup>	Mauritius	<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).
Colombia	Mexico <sup>1</sup>	<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.
Comoros	Micronesia	With declaration. See note under CHINA in bi-
Congo, Dem. Rep.	Moldova	lateral section.
Costa Rica	Monaco	<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral sec-
Cote d'Ivoire	Mongolia	tion.
Croatia	Morocco	<sup>4</sup> Applicable throughout the territory of the
Cuba <sup>1</sup>	Mozambique	French Republic (European and overseas de-
Cyprus	Namibia	partments and territories).
Czech Rep.	Netherlands	<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL
Denmark	New Zealand <sup>6</sup>	REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
Djibouti	Nicaragua	<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Niue and Tokelau.
Dominica	Niger	<sup>7</sup> With declaration(s).
Dominican Rep.	Nigeria	<sup>8</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British
Ecuador	Norway	Antarctic Territory, Cayman Is., Falkland Is.,
Egypt <sup>1</sup>	Oman <sup>7</sup>	Gibraltar, Montserrat, South Georgia and South
El Salvador	Pakistan	Sandwich Is., and Turks and Caicos Is.
Eritrea	Palau	<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral
Estonia	Panama	section.
Ethiopia <sup>3</sup>	Papua New Guinea <sup>1</sup>	
Fiji	Paraguay	United Nations convention against illicit traffic
Finland	Peru <sup>1</sup>	in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances,
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	Philippines	with annex and final act. Done at Vienna De-
France <sup>1,4</sup>	Poland <sup>1</sup>	cember 20, 1988; entered into force November
Gabon	Portugal	11, 1990.
Gambia	Qatar	TIAS
Georgia	Romania	Parties:
German Dem. Rep. <sup>1,5</sup>	Russian Fed.	Afghanistan
Germany, Fed. Rep. <sup>1,5</sup>	Rwanda	Albania
Ghana	St. Kitts & Nevis	Algeria
Greece	St. Vincent & the Grenadines	Andorra
Grenada	San Marino	Antigua & Barbuda
Guatemala	Sao Tome & Principe	Argentina
Guinea	Saudi Arabia	Armenia
Guinea-Bissau	Senegal	Australia
Guyana	Seychelles	Austria <sup>1</sup>
Hungary <sup>1</sup>	Sierra Leone	Azerbaijan
Iceland	Singapore	Bahamas
India <sup>1</sup>	Slovak Rep.	Bahrain <sup>2</sup>
Indonesia	Slovenia	Bangladesh
Iran	Somalia	Barbados
Iraq <sup>1</sup>	South Africa <sup>1</sup>	Belarus
Ireland	Spain	Belgium
Israel	Sri Lanka	Belize
Italy	Sudan	Benin
Jamaica	Suriname	Bhutan
Japan	Swaziland	Bolivia <sup>2</sup>
Jordan	Sweden	Bosnia-Herzegovina
Kazakhstan	Switzerland	Botswana
Kenya	Syrian Arab Rep.	Brazil
	Tajikistan	Brunei <sup>2</sup>
	Tanzania	Bulgaria
	Thailand	Burkina Faso
	Togo	Burma <sup>2</sup>
	Tonga	Burundi
	Trinidad & Tobago	Cameroon

## NARCOTIC DRUGS (Cont'd)

Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1 3</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus<sup>1</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
European Economic Community  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
Germany<sup>1 4</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Libya  
Lithuania<sup>1 2</sup>  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Maldives

Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>2 5</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia<sup>2</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore<sup>1 2</sup>  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
Syria<sup>1</sup>  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>2 6</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Venezuela<sup>1</sup>  
Viet Nam  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>6</sup> Extended to Isle of Man.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Declaration of Cartagena concerning the production of, trafficking in and demand for illicit drugs. Signed at Cartagena February 15, 1990; entered into force February 15, 1990.

TIAS 12411.

Parties:

Bolivia  
Colombia  
Peru  
United States

Memorandum of understanding concerning co-operation in the fight against illicit trafficking of narcotic drugs through the use of equipment and personnel based at Great Inagua and such other bases as may be established in the Turks and Caicos Islands, with annexes. Signed at Washington July 12, 1990; entered into force July 12, 1990.

TIAS

Parties:

Bahamas  
Turks & Caicos Is.  
United States

## NATIONALITY

Protocol relating to military obligations in certain cases of double nationality. Concluded at The Hague April 12, 1930; entered into force May 25, 1937.

50 Stat. 1317; TS 913; 2 Bevans 1049; 178 LNTS 227.

States which are parties:

Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Burma  
Colombia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Cyprus  
El Salvador  
Fiji  
India<sup>2</sup>  
Kiribati  
Lesotho  
Malawi  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
Niger  
Nigeria  
South Africa<sup>2</sup>  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Extended to Norfolk Is.

**NATIONALITY (Cont'd)**

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> Extended to Curacao.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to all parts of the British Empire not separate members of League of Nations.

Convention on the nationality of women. Signed at Montevideo December 26, 1933; entered into force August 29, 1934.

49 Stat. 2957; TS 875; 3 Bevans 141.

States which are parties:

Argentina

Brazil

Chile

Colombia

Costa Rica

Cuba

Dominica

Ecuador

Guatemala

Honduras<sup>1</sup>

Mexico<sup>1</sup>

Nicaragua

Panama

United States<sup>1</sup>

Uruguay

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

**NORTH ATLANTIC ICE  
PATROL**

(See under **MARITIME  
MATTERS**)

**NORTH ATLANTIC  
TREATY ORGANIZATION  
(NATO)**

(See also **PATENTS**)

For parties to following agreements, see chart at top of page 433.

North Atlantic Treaty. Signed at Washington April 4, 1949; entered into force August 24, 1949.

63 Stat. 2241; TIAS 1964; 4 Bevans 828; 34 UNTS 243.

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of Greece and Turkey. Done at London October 17, 1951; entered into force February 15, 1952.

3 UST 43; TIAS 2390; 126 UNTS 350.

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of the Federal Republic of Germany. Signed at Paris October 23, 1954; entered into force May 5, 1955.

6 UST 5707; TIAS 3428; 243 UNTS 308.

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of Spain. Signed at Brussels December 10, 1981; entered into force May 29, 1982. TIAS 10564.

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of the Czech Republic. Signed at Brussels December 16, 1997; entered into force December 4, 1998. TIAS

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of Hungary. Signed at Brussels December 16, 1997; entered into force December 4, 1998. TIAS

Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the accession of Poland. Signed at Brussels De-

ember 16, 1997; entered into force December 4, 1998.

TIAS

Agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty regarding the status of their forces. Signed at London June 19, 1951; entered into force August 23, 1953.

4 UST 1792; TIAS 2846; 199 UNTS 67.

Agreement to supplement the agreement of June 19, 1951 between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty regarding the status of their forces with respect to foreign forces stationed in the Federal Republic of Germany, with protocol of signature.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Bonn August 3, 1959; entered into force July 1, 1963.

14 UST 531; TIAS 5351; 481 UNTS 262.

Amendments:

October 21, 1971 (24 UST 2355; TIAS 7759).

May 18, 1981 (34 UST 405; TIAS 10367).<sup>2</sup>

March 18, 1993.

March 18, 1993.

May 16, 1994.

Agreement on the status of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, national representatives, and international staff.<sup>3</sup> Done at Ottawa September 20, 1951; entered into force May 18, 1954.

5 UST 1087; TIAS 2992; 200 UNTS 3.

Protocol on the status of International Military Headquarters. Signed at Paris August 28, 1952; entered into force April 10, 1954.

5 UST 870; TIAS 2978; 200 UNTS 340.

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> For the agreement implementing paragraph 5 of article 45, see 14 UST 670; TIAS 5351; 481 UNTS 551. For administrative agreement to article 60, see 14 UST 677; TIAS 5351; 481 UNTS 565. See also TIAS 5352 under GERMAN-DEFENSE in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Effective April 1, 1974.

<sup>3</sup> See also NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION in bilateral section.

## NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO) (Cont'd)

States which are parties:	North Atlantic Treaty	Protocol Greece & Turkey	Protocol Federal Republic Germany	Protocol Spain	Protocols Czech Rep. Hungary Poland	Status of Forces	Status of Forces in Germany	Status of NATO	International Military Hdqtrs.
Belgium	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Canada	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Czech Rep.	X					X		X	X
Denmark	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
France	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Germany, Fed. Rep. <sup>1</sup>	X			X	X	X	X	X	X
Greece	X		X	X <sup>2</sup>	X	X		X	X
Hungary	X					X		X	X
Iceland	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Italy	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Luxembourg	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Netherlands	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Norway	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Poland	X					X		X	X
Portugal	X	X	X	X	X	X <sup>2</sup>		X <sup>2</sup>	X
Spain	X					X		X	X
Turkey	X		X	X	X	X		X	X
United Kingdom	X	X	X	X	X	X <sup>3</sup>	X	X	X
United States	X	X	X	X	X	X <sup>2</sup>	X	X	X

### NOTES to chart:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> With a statement.

<sup>3</sup> Extended to Bermuda and Isle of Man.

### INTERNATIONAL MILITARY HEADQUARTERS—FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

Agreement on the special conditions applicable to the establishment and operation of the International Military Headquarters in the Federal Republic of Germany, with protocol and exchange of notes. Signed at Paris March 13, 1967 by the Federal Republic of Germany and the Chairman of the Delegation of the Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers in Europe; entered into force December 21, 1969. 29 UST 879; TIAS 8854.

Agreement regarding making available by the armed forces of the United States and the United Kingdom of accommodation to International Military Headquarters of North Atlantic Treaty Organization in the Federal Republic of Germany. Done at Bonn February 7, 1969; entered into force December 21, 1969. 20 UST 4050; TIAS 6791; 737 UNTS 175.

States which are parties:  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

#### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement regarding the status of personnel of sending states attached to an International Military Headquarters of North Atlantic Treaty Organization in the Federal Republic of Germany. Done at Bonn February 7, 1969; entered into force December 21, 1969. 20 UST 4055; TIAS 6792; 737 UNTS 161.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

#### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

### COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS (See also PATENTS)

Agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty for cooperation regarding atomic information. Done at Paris June 18, 1964; entered into force March 12, 1965. 16 UST 109; TIAS 5768; 542 UNTS 145.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada

Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Italy  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Spain  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

#### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

North Atlantic Treaty Organization agreement on the communication of technical information for defense purposes. Done at Brussels October 19, 1970; entered into force February 7, 1971. 22 UST 347; TIAS 7064; 800 UNTS 5.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark

## NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO) (Cont'd)

France<sup>1</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Italy  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
Norway  
Poland  
Spain  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With statement.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Memorandum of understanding for the international development of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization sea gnat system, with annexes. Dated December 8, 1976; entered into force January 10, 1977.

28 UST 8897; TIAS 8776.

States which are parties:

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding No. 2 creating a multilateral organization for the definition and implementation of common interests with regard to the weapon system, ROLAND. Done at Bonn, Washington and Paris January 25, May 31 and June 22, 1977; entered into force June 22, 1977.

TIAS

States which are parties:

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding for the cooperative support of the NATO seasparrow surface missile system, with exhibit. Done May 20, 1977; entered into force May 31, 1977.

29 UST 1103; TIAS 8870.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Norway  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Agreement to provide for the accession of Spain to the memorandum of understanding of May 20, 1977, for the cooperative support of the NATO seasparrow surface missile system. Signed at Hamburg October 4, 8 and 14, 1991; entered into force October 14, 1991.

TIAS

Parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Germany  
Greece  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Portugal  
Spain  
Turkey  
United States

Addendum to the memorandum of understanding of May 20, 1977 for cooperative support of the NATO seasparrow surface missile system concerning the cooperative engineering and manufacturing development of the evolved seasparrow missile, with annexes and related letter. Signed at Washington April 26 and June 16, 1995; entered into force June 16, 1995.

TIAS

Agreement concerning helicopter pilot training in the United States under the scope of EURO/NATO training, with annexes. Signed at Washington July 14, Bonn August 10, The Hague September 1, Copenhagen September 27 and Oslo October 10, 1977; entered into force October 10, 1977.

29 UST 5555; TIAS 9128.

States which are parties:

Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands  
Norway  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding for international collaboration on the NATO explosion resistant multi-influence sweep system (ERMIS). Done April 5, 1978; entered into force April 25, 1978; for the United States August 24, 1978.

30 UST 1170; TIAS 9244.

States which are parties:

France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning cooperative full-scale engineering development of

an advanced surface-to-air missile system, with annexes. Signed April 24, May 9, 18 and July 6, 1979; entered into force July 6, 1979.

TIAS 12256.

States which are parties:

Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding for the cooperative support of the 76/62 OTO Melara Compact Gun (OMCG), with annexes. Done October 24, 1978; entered into force October 24, 1978; for the United States July 17, 1979.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Turkey  
United States

### Amendments:

May 30, June 22, August 24 and November 8, 1990.

June 14, July 5, October 9 and December 3, 1991 and February 5, 1992.

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning the EURO-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training (ENJJPT) Program. Signed at Brussels December 9, 1980; entered into force December 9, 1980.

32 UST 4259; TIAS 9947.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Portugal  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

### Amendments:

December 6, 1991.

January 31, March 20, April 9, May 5, July 17, August 14, September 9, October 19 and November 3, 1992, January 15, March 16 and April 15, 1993.

November 3, 1993, January 11, February 4 and 16, April 1 and 28, May 11 and 25, June 6 and 28, July 20 and October 4, 1994.

March 17, 29 and 30, April 27, June 16 and 30, July 27 and September 19, 1995 (TIAS 12692).

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

## NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO) (Cont'd)

Memorandum of understanding for coproduction and sale of modular thermal imaging systems (MOD FLIR) and their components, with annex.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Bonn, The Hague and Washington February 12, May 21 and December 22, 1981; entered into force December 22, 1981. 35 UST 3687; TIAS 10877.

States which are parties:  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Netherlands  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See also under GERMANY, FED. REP.—DEFENSE in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative study of the surface effect ship 200. Signed at Ottawa, Bonn, London, Madrid, Washington and Paris, November 26, December 6, 10, 19 and 23, 1985 and February 7, 1986; entered into force February 7, 1986.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Canada  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Spain  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning general arrangements for the collaborative development and production of a modular stand-off weapon system. Signed June 12–July 24, 1987; entered into force July 24, 1987.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Canada  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Italy  
Spain  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning a NATO anti-air warfare system (NAAWS), with annex. Signed September 11–October 19, 1987; entered into force October 19, 1987.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Canada  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands  
Spain  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding for the project definition phase of a NATO frigate replacement for the 1990s (NFR 90). Signed October 20, 1987 and January 23 and 25, 1988; entered into force January 25, 1988.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Canada  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Spain  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding concerning a cooperative project for the establishment, operation, management and support of the NATO Insensitive Munitions Information Center (NIMIC), with annexes. Signed at Brussels October 24, 1990; entered into force October 24, 1990.

TIAS  
Amendments:  
October 6, 12, 17 and 25 and November 2, 1994.  
March 15, 28 and 29, 1995.  
March 15, 28 and 29 and April 4 and 10, 1995.  
March 15, 28 and 29 and April 4 and 12, 1995.  
March 29, April 2, 9, 16, 18, 22 and 30 and June 13, 1996.  
April 7, 20, 21, 26 and 27 and May 6, 18 and 21, 1999.

Agreement on the status of missions and representatives of third states to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Done at Brussels September 14, 1994; entered into force March 28, 1997.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Belgium  
Canada  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Germany<sup>1</sup>  
Hungary  
Italy  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Spain  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

Agreement among the States Parties to the North Atlantic Treaty and other States participating in the Partnership for Peace regarding the status of their forces. Done at Brussels

June 19, 1995; entered into force January 13, 1996.

TIAS 12666.

Parties:  
Albania  
Austria<sup>1</sup>  
Azerbaijan  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
Estonia  
Finland<sup>3</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Georgia  
Germany<sup>4</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Italy  
Kazakhstan  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Moldova  
Netherlands<sup>5 6</sup>  
Norway<sup>6</sup>  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden<sup>6</sup>  
Turkey  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom<sup>6</sup>  
United States  
Uzbekistan

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With statement(s).

<sup>2</sup> Not applicable to the Faroe Is. or to Greenland.

<sup>3</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>4</sup> With understanding(s).

<sup>5</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>6</sup> With reservation(s).

Memorandum of understanding on the establishment and operation of the International Planning and Coordination Staff for the Multinational Reaction Forces (Air) of NATO – Reaction Force Air Staff, with annexes. Signed at Casteau July 20, 24, 25 and 28 and August 1, 10 and 15, 1995; entered into force August 15, 1995.

TIAS

Memorandum of understanding concerning the establishment, mission, financing, administration and status of Headquarters 5 Allied Tactical Air Force (HQ 5 ATAF), with annexes. Signed at Casteau September 25, 26, 29 and October 2, 1995; entered into force October 2, 1995; effective January 1, 1994. TIAS 12694.

Memorandum of understanding concerning the manning, funding and support of NATO Southern Region Maritime Sub-Principal Subordinate Command Headquarters of Commander Gibraltar Mediterranean (HQ GIBMED), Commander Maritime Air Forces

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Mediterranean (HQ MARAIRMED), Commander Central Mediterranean (HQ MEDCENT), Commander Eastern Mediterranean (HQ MEDEAST), Commander Northeast Mediterranean (HQ MEDNOREAST) and Commander Submarines Mediterranean (HQ SUBMED), with annexes. Signed at Casteau September 27 and October 2, 1995; entered into force October 2, 1995; effective January 1, 1994.

TIAS 12695.

Memorandum of understanding concerning a feasibility study for a NATO influence mine-sweeping system (NIMS), with annexes. Signed at Haakonvern, Ottawa, Paris and Washington December 4 and 5, 1995, March 11 and June 3, 1996; entered into force June 3, 1996.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada  
France  
Norway  
United States

Memorandum of understanding covering a feasibility study for a NATO submarine rescue system (NSRS). Signed at Bristol, Oslo, Washington, Rome and Paris February 21 and 29, March 15 and 22 and June 12, 1996; entered into force June 12, 1996.

TIAS

Parties:

France  
Italy  
Norway  
United Kingdom  
United States

Memorandum of understanding covering subphase two of the design and development phase of the NATO improved link eleven (NILE) project, with annex and related letter. Signed at Quebec, Bristol, Rome, Bonn, The Hague, Washington and Paris May 24, June 5, 6 and 11 and July 2 and 8, 1996; entered into force July 2, 1996.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada  
France  
Germany  
Italy  
Netherlands  
United Kingdom  
United States

Administrative agreement to implement article 60 of the agreement of August 3, 1959, as amended, to supplement the agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty regarding the status of their forces with respect to foreign forces stationed in the Federal Republic of Germany. Done at Bonn March 18, 1993; entered into force March 29, 1998.

TIAS

Agreement between the parties to the North Atlantic Treaty for the security of information, with annexes. Done at Brussels March 6, 1997; entered into force August 16, 1998.

TIAS

Parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Turkey  
United States

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

## NUCLEAR ACCIDENTS

Convention on early notification of a nuclear accident. Done at Vienna September 26, 1986; entered into force October 27, 1986; for the United States October 20, 1988.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Bangladesh  
Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Burma  
Canada  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Egypt<sup>1</sup>  
Estonia  
Finland  
Food and Agriculture Organization<sup>1</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Iran  
Iraq<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Israel<sup>1</sup>  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Jordan

Korea  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Mauritius<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco<sup>1</sup>  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua<sup>1</sup>  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan<sup>1</sup>  
Panama  
Peru<sup>1</sup>  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal  
Romania<sup>1</sup>  
Russian Fed.<sup>1</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Saudi Arabia<sup>1</sup>  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Spain<sup>1</sup>  
Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand<sup>1</sup>  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,3</sup>  
United Arab Emirates<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
World Health Organization<sup>1</sup>  
World Meteorological Organization<sup>1</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on assistance in the case of a nuclear accident or radiological emergency. Done at Vienna September 26, 1986; entered into force February 26, 1987; for the United States October 20, 1988.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Armenia  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria<sup>1</sup>  
Bangladesh  
Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil

## NUCLEAR ACCIDENTS (Cont'd)

Bulgaria  
Canada  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Egypt<sup>1</sup>  
Estonia  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
Food and Agriculture Organization<sup>1</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
Greece<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala  
Hungary  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Iran<sup>1</sup>  
Iraq<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
Israel<sup>1</sup>  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Jordan  
Korea<sup>1</sup>  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Mauritius<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco<sup>1</sup>  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Nicaragua<sup>1</sup>  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Pakistan<sup>1</sup>  
Panama  
Peru<sup>1</sup>  
Philippines  
Poland  
Romania<sup>1</sup>  
Russian Fed.<sup>1</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Saudi Arabia<sup>1</sup>  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Spain<sup>1</sup>  
Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland  
Thailand<sup>1</sup>  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,3</sup>

United Arab Emirates<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
World Health Organization<sup>1</sup>  
World Meteorological Organization<sup>1</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## NUCLEAR ENERGY

(See ATOMIC ENERGY)

## NUCLEAR FREE ZONE— LATIN AMERICA<sup>1</sup>

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> The United States is not a party to the treaty for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America (the Treaty of Tlatelolco). For the English text of the treaty, see 22 UST 762; TIAS 7137; for the text in other languages, see 634 UNTS 281.

Additional protocol I to the treaty of February 14, 1967 for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America. Done at Mexico February 14, 1967; entered into force December 11, 1969; for the United States November 23, 1981.

33 UST 1792; TIAS 10147; 634 UNTS 362.

States which are parties:

France  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>3</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With statement(s).  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Anguilla, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Montserrat, Turks and Caicos Is.  
<sup>3</sup> With understanding and declarations.

Additional protocol II to the treaty of February 14, 1967 for the prohibition of nuclear weapons in Latin America. Done at Mexico February 14, 1967; entered into force December 11, 1969; for the United States May 12, 1971. 22 UST 754; TIAS 7137; 634 UNTS 364.

States which are parties:

China<sup>1,2</sup>  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Rep.<sup>1,3</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>4,5</sup>  
United States<sup>6</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With statement.  
<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> With declaration.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Anguilla, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Montserrat, Turks and Caicos Is.

<sup>6</sup> With understandings and declarations.

## NUCLEAR MATERIALS

Convention on the physical protection of nuclear materials, with annex. Done at Vienna October 26, 1979; entered into force February 8, 1987.

TIAS 11080.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Ecuador  
Estonia  
European Atomic Energy Community<sup>1</sup>  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2,3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Kenya  
Korea<sup>2</sup>  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Mali  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Namibia

## NUCLEAR MATERIALS (Cont'd)

Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru<sup>2</sup>  
 Philippines  
 Poland<sup>2</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.<sup>2</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Spain<sup>2</sup>  
 Sudan  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Tajikistan  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey<sup>2</sup>  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,4</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Uzbekistan  
 Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## NUCLEAR SAFETY

Convention on nuclear safety. Done at Vienna September 20, 1994; entered into force October 24, 1996; for the United States July 10, 1999.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bangladesh  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 China  
 Croatia  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
 European Atomic Energy Community  
 Finland  
 France  
 Germany  
 Greece

Hungary  
 Indonesia  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Korea  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Mali  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Turkey  
 Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>3</sup>  
 United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s)/declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>3</sup> For the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Bailiwick of Jersey and the Isle of Man.

## NUCLEAR TEST BAN

Treaty banning nuclear weapon tests in the atmosphere, in outer space and under water. Done at Moscow August 5, 1963; entered into force October 10, 1963.

14 UST 1313; TIAS 5433; 480 UNTS 43.

Parties:

Afghanistan  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bangladesh  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Benin  
 Bhutan  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Burma  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad

Chile  
 China (Taiwan)<sup>1</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 Gabon  
 Gambia, The  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Kuwait  
 Laos  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 San Marino  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.

## NUCLEAR TEST BAN (Cont'd)

Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4,5</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>  
United States<sup>4</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>6</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>  
Zambia

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>4</sup> Original Party.

<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## NUCLEAR WEAPONS— NON-PROLIFERATION

(See also SEABEDS)

Treaty on the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons. Done at Washington, London and Moscow July 1, 1968; entered into force March 5, 1970.

21 UST 483; TIAS 6839; 729 UNTS 161.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan

Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>3</sup>  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3,5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Holy See<sup>3</sup>  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Indonesia<sup>3</sup>  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Italy<sup>3</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>3</sup>  
Jordan

Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein<sup>3</sup>  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico<sup>3</sup>  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden

## NUCLEAR WEAPONS— NON-PROLIFERATION (Cont'd)

Switzerland<sup>3</sup>  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey<sup>3</sup>  
 Turkmenistan  
 Tuvalu  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>7</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Western Samoa  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>8</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>8</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>3,9</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this treaty. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> With statement.

<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## OCEAN DUMPING

(See MARINE POLLUTION)

## OIL POLLUTION

(See MARINE POLLUTION)

## OPEN SKIES

Treaty on open skies, with annexes. Done at Helsinki March 24, 1992; entered into force January 1, 2002.

TIAS

Parties:

Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada<sup>1</sup>  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 France  
 Georgia  
 Germany  
 Greece  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 Italy  
 Luxembourg  
 Netherlands  
 Norway  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Spain<sup>1</sup>  
 Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
 Turkey  
 Ukraine  
 United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
 United States<sup>1</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s) and/or reservation(s)

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Bailiwick of Guernsey; Bailiwick of Jersey; Isle of Man; Anguilla; Bermuda; British Indian Ocean Territory; British Virgin Is.; Cayman Is.; Falkland Is.; Gibraltar; Montserrat; Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is.; St. Helena; St. Helena Dependencies; South Georgia and the South Sandwich Is.; Turks and Caicos Is.; United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia on the island of Cyprus.

## OPIUM

(See NARCOTIC DRUGS)

## ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT

(See under ECONOMIC AND  
TECHNICAL COOPERATION  
AND DEVELOPMENT)

## ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES

Charter of the Organization of American States. Signed at Bogota April 30, 1948; entered into force December 13, 1951.

2 UST 2394; TIAS 2361; 119 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Bahamas, The  
 Barbados  
 Belize  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Cuba  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Jamaica  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Suriname  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 United States<sup>1</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela

Amendments:

February 27, 1967 (21 UST 607; TIAS 6847).

December 14, 1992.

June 10, 1993.

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

## PACIFIC CHARTER

(See under DEFENSE)

## PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

(See also **ARBITRATION;**  
**INVESTMENT DISPUTES**)

### HAGUE CONVENTIONS (See also RULES OF WARFARE)

Convention for the pacific settlement of international disputes.<sup>1</sup> Signed at The Hague July 29, 1899; entered into force September 4, 1900.  
32 Stat. 1779; TS 392; 1 Bevans 230.

Convention for the pacific settlement of international disputes. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2199; TS 536; 1 Bevans 577.

Parties:

Argentina<sup>2</sup>  
Australia  
Austria  
Belarus<sup>3</sup>  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil<sup>4</sup>  
Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Chile<sup>4</sup>  
China<sup>5,6</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica<sup>7</sup>  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus<sup>7</sup>  
Czech Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>2</sup>  
Egypt<sup>7</sup>  
El Salvador  
Eritrea  
Fiji<sup>2</sup>  
Finland<sup>7</sup>  
France  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>8</sup>  
Greece<sup>2</sup>  
Guatemala  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India<sup>2</sup>  
Iran<sup>2</sup>  
Iraq  
Israel<sup>7</sup>  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Japan<sup>4</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon

Libya<sup>7</sup>  
Liechtenstein<sup>7</sup>  
Luxembourg  
Malta<sup>7</sup>  
Mauritius<sup>2</sup>  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand<sup>2</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria<sup>7</sup>  
Norway  
Pakistan<sup>2</sup>  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru<sup>2</sup>  
Poland<sup>7</sup>  
Portugal  
Romania<sup>4</sup>  
Senegal  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Slovenia<sup>2</sup>  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka<sup>2</sup>  
Sudan<sup>7</sup>  
Suriname  
Swaziland<sup>7</sup>  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>4</sup>  
Thailand  
Turkey<sup>2,4</sup>  
Uganda<sup>7</sup>  
Ukraine<sup>3</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3,9</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States<sup>4,11</sup>  
Uruguay<sup>2</sup>  
Venezuela<sup>2</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>4,12</sup>  
Zambia<sup>7</sup>  
Zimbabwe<sup>2</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Replaced by convention of October 18, 1907 as between contracting parties to the later convention. The parties to the 1899 and/or 1907 conventions comprise the members of the Permanent Court of Arbitration.

<sup>2</sup> Not a party to the 1907 convention.

<sup>3</sup> With statement(s).

<sup>4</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>5</sup> The Administrative Council of the Permanent Court of Arbitration decided on April 6, 1972 that the designation of the "Republic of China," as well as the names of the arbitrators previously listed under that designation, should be omitted from the Annual Report pending consultation of the contracting parties by the Government of the Netherlands, which is the depositary for the conventions of 1899 and 1907.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> Not a party to the 1899 convention.

<sup>8</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>11</sup> With understanding.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention respecting the limitation of the employment of force for the recovery of contract debts. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.  
36 Stat. 2241; TS 537; 1 Bevans 607.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Canada  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
El Salvador<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
Haiti  
Hungary  
India  
Ireland  
Japan  
Laos  
Liberia  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua<sup>2</sup>  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Philippines<sup>3</sup>  
Portugal  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4,5</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> With an understanding.

<sup>4</sup> With statement.

<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

### INTER-AMERICAN CONVENTIONS (See also ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES)

Convention for the establishment of International Commissions of Inquiry. Signed at Washington February 7, 1923; entered into force June 13, 1925.

44 Stat. 2070; TS 717; 2 Bevans 387.

States which are parties:

Costa Rica  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Nicaragua  
United States

Treaty to avoid or prevent conflicts between the American States. Signed at Santiago May 3, 1923; entered into force October 8, 1924.

44 Stat. 2527; TS 752; 2 Bevans 413; 33 LNTS 25.

States which are parties:

Brazil

## PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES (Cont'd)

Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
United States  
Uruguay<sup>1</sup>  
Venezuela

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

General treaty of inter-American arbitration and protocol of progressive arbitration. Signed at Washington January 5, 1929; entered into force October 28, 1929; for the United States April 16, 1935.  
49 Stat. 3153; TS 886; 2 Bevans 737; 130 LNTS 135.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
Haiti  
Honduras<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States<sup>2</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> With an understanding.

General convention of inter-American conciliation. Signed at Washington January 5, 1929; entered into force November 15, 1929.  
46 Stat. 2209; TS 780; 2 Bevans 745; 100 LNTS 401.

Additional protocol to the general convention of inter-American conciliation. Signed at Montevideo December 26, 1933; entered into force March 10, 1935.  
49 Stat. 3185; TS 887; 3 Bevans 161.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador  
El Salvador

Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
Haiti  
Honduras<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Panama<sup>1</sup>  
Paraguay<sup>1</sup>  
Peru  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela<sup>1,2</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Party to the 1933 protocol.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

Anti-war treaty of nonaggression and conciliation.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Rio de Janeiro October 10, 1933; entered into force November 13, 1935.  
49 Stat. 3363; TS 906; 3 Bevans 135; 163 LNTS 395.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Brazil  
Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
Chile<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia<sup>2</sup>  
Cuba  
Czechoslovakia<sup>2,3</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>2</sup>  
El Salvador<sup>2</sup>  
Finland<sup>2</sup>  
Greece<sup>2</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Norway<sup>2</sup>  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru<sup>2</sup>  
Portugal  
Romania<sup>2</sup>  
Slovak Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Spain  
Turkey<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>2</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>2,4</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> The treaty was "open to the adherence of all states."

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the maintenance, preservation, and reestablishment of peace. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force August 25, 1937.  
51 Stat. 15; TS 922; 3 Bevans 338; 188 LNTS 9.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba

Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay<sup>2</sup>  
United States  
Venezuela

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

Additional protocol relative to non-intervention. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force August 25, 1937.  
51 Stat. 41; TS 923; 3 Bevans 343; 188 LNTS 31.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
United States  
Venezuela

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

Treaty on the prevention of controversies. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force July 29, 1937.  
51 Stat. 65; TS 924; 3 Bevans 357; 188 LNTS 53.

States which are parties:

Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

Inter-American treaty on good offices and mediation. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force July 29, 1937.  
51 Stat. 90; TS 925; 3 Bevans 362; 188 LNTS 75.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile

## PACIFIC SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES (Cont'd)

Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

Convention to coordinate, extend and assure the fulfillment of the existing treaties between the American States. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force November 24, 1938.

51 Stat. 116; TS 926; 3 Bevans 348; 195 LNTS 229.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras<sup>1</sup>  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
United States<sup>2</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

<sup>2</sup>With declaration.

## PAN AMERICAN HIGHWAY

Convention on the Pan American highway. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force July 29, 1937.

51 Stat. 152; TS 927; 3 Bevans 367; 188 LNTS 99.

States which are parties:

Bolivia  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States

## PAN AMERICAN UNION

(See ORGANIZATION OF  
AMERICAN STATES)

## PANAMA CANAL

(See in bilateral section PANAMA:  
CANALS)

## PATENTS

(See also INDUSTRIAL  
PROPERTY; INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY; PHONOGRAMS)

Accord relating to the treatment of German-owned patents. Done at London July 27, 1946; entered into force November 30, 1946.  
3 UST 552; TIAS 2415; 90 UNTS 229.

Protocol amending the accord relating to the treatment of German-owned patents of July 27, 1946. Done at London July 17, 1947; entered into force July 17, 1947.

3 UST 560; TIAS 2415; 90 UNTS 246.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Belize<sup>1</sup>  
Bolivia  
Canada  
Chile  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
Denmark  
Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt<sup>2</sup>  
El Salvador<sup>2</sup>  
Ethiopia<sup>2,4</sup>  
France  
Ghana<sup>1</sup>  
Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala  
Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
Haiti<sup>2</sup>  
Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
Lebanon  
Luxembourg  
Malaysia (Sarawak)<sup>1</sup>  
Malta<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
Panama<sup>2</sup>  
Paraguay  
Poland  
St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
Saudi Arabia<sup>2</sup>

Singapore<sup>1</sup>  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Sri Lanka  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tanzania<sup>1</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
Turkey  
United Kingdom<sup>5</sup>  
United States  
Venezuela  
Western Samoa<sup>1</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
Zambia<sup>1</sup>  
Zimbabwe<sup>1</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>2</sup>Party pursuant to provisions of article 2 of the protocol of July 17, 1947 (TIAS 2415).

<sup>3</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup>Extended to Falkland Is.

<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement relating to German-owned patents in Italy. Signed at Rome November 29, 1950; entered into force November 29, 1950.

2 UST 553; TIAS 2204; 88 UNTS 221.

States which are parties:

Canada  
France  
India  
Italy  
Norway  
United Kingdom  
United States

Agreement among parties to the North Atlantic Treaty for the mutual safeguarding of secrecy of inventions relating to defense and for which applications for patents have been made. Done at Paris September 21, 1960; entered into force January 12, 1961.  
12 UST 43; TIAS 4672; 394 UNTS 3.

First revision of implementing procedures. Done at Paris March 15, 1967; entered into force March 15, 1967; for the United States September 3, 1969.  
20 UST 3062; TIAS 6786.

Second revision of implementing procedures. Done at Brussels September 5, 1973; entered into force September 5, 1973.  
25 UST 1203; TIAS 7853.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
Canada  
Czech Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
Norway  
Poland<sup>1</sup>

## PATENTS (Cont'd)

Portugal  
Spain<sup>1</sup>  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Not parties to implementing procedures.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Patent cooperation treaty, with regulations. Done at Washington June 19, 1970; entered into force January 24, 1978.

28 UST 7645; TIAS 8733.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>3</sup>  
Dominica  
Ecuador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Estonia  
Finland<sup>4</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1,5</sup>  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Iceland  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy

Japan<sup>7</sup>  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar<sup>7</sup>  
Malawi  
Mali  
Mauritania  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Netherlands<sup>7,8</sup>  
New Zealand  
Niger  
Norway<sup>3</sup>  
Oman<sup>1</sup>  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal  
Romania<sup>1,4,7</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden<sup>7</sup>  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia<sup>1</sup>  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
United States<sup>7,10</sup>  
Uzbekistan  
Viet Nam  
Yugoslavia  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

Amendment:  
October 2, 1979.

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. With declarations. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> Not bound by provisions of Chapter II.

<sup>4</sup> With reservation.

<sup>5</sup> Extended to the territory of the French Republic including the overseas departments and territories.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> With statement.

<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to Isle of Man.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to all areas for which the United States has international responsibility.

Strasbourg agreement concerning the international patent classification. Done at Strasbourg March 24, 1971; entered into force October 7, 1975.

26 UST 1793; TIAS 8140.

States which are parties:

Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Belarus  
Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
France<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Guinea<sup>2</sup>  
Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
Israel  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Kazakhstan\*  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
Malawi  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco<sup>1</sup>  
Mongolia  
Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
Spain<sup>1</sup>  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,5</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan

Amendment:  
October 2, 1979.

**PATENTS (Cont'd)**

## NOTES:

\* Enters into force for Kazakhstan January 24, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> With statement.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Budapest treaty on the international recognition of the deposit of microorganisms for the purposes of patent procedure, with regulations. Done at Budapest April 28, 1977; entered into force August 19, 1980.

32 UST 1241; TIAS 9768.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
China  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
Norway  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Turkey  
Ukraine

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia

## Amendments:

September 26, 1980.

January 20, 1981 (33 UST 955; TIAS 10078).

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

International convention for the protection of new varieties of plants of December 2, 1961, as revised. Done at Geneva March 19, 1991; entered into force April 24, 1998; for the United States February 22, 1999.\*

TIAS  
Parties  
Argentina  
Australia\*  
Austria  
Belarus\*\*\*  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Bulgaria\*  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Croatia\*  
Czech Rep.\*  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>\*  
Ecuador  
Estonia\*  
Finland\*  
France<sup>3</sup>  
Germany\*  
Hungary\*  
Ireland  
Israel\*  
Italy  
Japan\*  
Kenya  
Korea\*  
Kyrgyz Rep.\*  
Latvia\*  
Mexico  
Moldova\*  
Netherlands<sup>4</sup>\*  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania\*  
Russian Fed.\*  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia\*  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden\*  
Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Ukraine<sup>5</sup>  
United Kingdom\*

United States<sup>6</sup>\*  
Uruguay

## NOTES:

\* Those countries marked with an asterisk are party to the 1991 Act; the remainder are party to the 1978 Act.

\*\* Enters into force for Belarus January 5, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> Not applicable to Hong Kong. See Note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Not applicable to Greenland and the Faroe Is.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to the territory of the French Republic, including the Oversea Departments and Territories.

<sup>4</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>5</sup> With declaration.

<sup>6</sup> With reservation(s).

**PEACE TREATIES**

(See also VIET-NAM)

Treaty of peace with Italy.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Paris February 10, 1947; entered into force September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 1245; TIAS 1648; 4 Bevans 311; 49 and 50 UNTS.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Australia  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Canada  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
France  
Greece  
India  
Iraq  
Italy  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Pakistan  
Poland  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>5</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> For agreements between the United States and Italy regarding implementation of the peace treaty and release of Italy from certain of its obligations thereunder, see under ITALY, PEACE TREATIES in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> Pre 1949 treaty, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>3</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**PEACE TREATIES (Cont'd)**

Protocol on the establishment of a four power naval commission, the disposal of excess units of the Italian fleet, and the return by the Soviet Union of warships on loan. Signed at Paris February 10, 1947; entered into force February 10, 1947.

61 Stat. 3846; TIAS 1733; 4 Bevens 306; 140 UNTS 111.

States which are parties:

France  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Memorandum of understanding regarding the free territory of Trieste, with two annexes. Initiated at London October 5, 1954; entered into force October 5, 1954.

5 UST 2386; TIAS 3099; 235 UNTS 99.

States which are parties:

Italy  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>1</sup>

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Treaty of peace with Romania. Signed at Paris February 10, 1947; entered into force September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 1757; TIAS 1649; 4 Bevens 403; 42 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Canada  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
India  
New Zealand  
Romania  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Treaty of peace with Bulgaria. Signed at Paris February 10, 1947; entered into force September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 1915; TIAS 1650; 4 Bevens 429; 41 UNTS 21.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Bulgaria  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
Greece  
India  
New Zealand  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Treaty of peace with Hungary. Signed at Paris February 10, 1947; entered into force September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 2065; TIAS 1651; 4 Bevens 453; 41 UNTS 135.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Canada  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
Hungary  
India  
New Zealand  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Treaty of peace with Japan. Signed at San Francisco September 8, 1951; entered into force April 28, 1952.

3 UST 3169; TIAS 2490; 136 UNTS 45.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Chile  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
France  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Iran  
Iraq  
Japan  
Laos  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua

Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Saudi Arabia  
South Africa  
Sri Lanka  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Vietnam<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With declaration.

<sup>2</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

Declaration by Japan with respect to the treaty of peace. Signed at San Francisco September 8, 1951.

3 UST 3306; TIAS 2490; 136 UNTS 146, 160.

Agreement for the settlement of disputes arising under article 15(a) of the treaty of peace with Japan. Done at Washington June 12, 1952; entered into force June 12, 1952; for the United States June 19, 1952.

3 UST 4054; TIAS 2550; 138 UNTS 183.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia  
Belgium  
Cambodia  
Canada  
Chile  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
France  
Greece  
Haiti  
Iraq  
Japan  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Mexico  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Pakistan  
South Africa  
Sri Lanka  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Venezuela

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

**PEACEKEEPING<sup>1</sup>**

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See also PEACEKEEPING under EGYPT, ISRAEL and MULTINATIONAL FORCE AND OBSERVERS in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning United States participation in the Multinational Force and Observers established by Egypt and Israel. Exchanges of letters at Washington August 3, 1981; entered into force August 3, 1981.

TIAS 10556.

States which are parties:

Egypt  
Israel  
United States

**PHONOGRAMS**

Convention for the protection of producers of phonograms against unauthorized duplication of their phonograms. Done at Geneva October 29, 1971; entered into force April 18, 1973; for the United States March 10, 1974. 25 UST 309; TIAS 7808; 866 UNTS 67.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Armenia\*  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Barbados  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Fiji  
Finland<sup>2</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Holy See  
Honduras  
Hungary  
India  
Israel  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania

Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Lucia  
Seychelles<sup>5</sup>  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom<sup>6</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela

## NOTES:

\* Enters into force for Armenia January 31, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> With statement.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>5</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>6</sup> Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, and Montserrat.

**POLAR BEARS**

Agreement on the conservation of polar bears. Done at Oslo November 15, 1973; entered into force May 26, 1976; for the United States November 1, 1976.

27 UST 3918; TIAS 8409.

States which are parties:

Canada<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
Norway  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United States

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With statement.

<sup>2</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

**POLLUTION**

(See also MARINE POLLUTION)

Convention on long-range transboundary air pollution. Done at Geneva November 13, 1979; entered into force March 16, 1983. TIAS 10541.

Protocol on long-term financing of the co-operative programme for monitoring and evaluation of the long-range transmission of air pollutants in Europe (EMEP). Done at Geneva September 28, 1984; entered into force January 28, 1988. TIAS 12086.

Protocol to the 1979 convention on long-range transboundary air pollution concerning the control of emissions of nitrogen oxides or their transboundary fluxes, with annex. Done at Sofia October 31, 1988; entered into force February 14, 1991. TIAS 12086.

Parties:

Armenia\*\*\*  
Austria  
Azerbaijan\*\*\*  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina\*\*  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Croatia\*\*  
Cyprus\*\*  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Estonia  
European Economic Community  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia\*\*\*  
France  
Georgia\*\*\*  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland\*\*\*  
Ireland  
Italy  
Kazakhstan\*\*\*  
Kyrgyz Rep.\*\*\*  
Latvia\*\*  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania\*\*\*  
Luxembourg  
Malta\*\*  
Moldova\*\*\*  
Monaco\*\*  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland\*\*  
Portugal\*\*  
Romania\*\*\*  
Russian Fed.  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia\*\*  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey\*\*  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>\*\*

## NOTES:

\* Not party to the 1984 protocol.

\*\* Not party to the 1988 protocol.

<sup>1</sup> Not applicable to the Faroe Is. or Greenland.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

**POLLUTION (Cont'd)**

<sup>3</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>Applicable to the Bailiwicks of Jersey and Guernsey, Isle of Man, Gibraltar and the United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in Cyprus.

<sup>5</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention for the protection of the ozone layer, with annexes. Done at Vienna March 22, 1985; entered into force September 22, 1988. TIAS 11097.

Parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina <sup>1</sup>  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile <sup>1</sup>  
China <sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
European Economic Community  
Fiji  
Finland

Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands <sup>1</sup>  
New Zealand <sup>4</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru

Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Samoa  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden <sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland  
Syria  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom <sup>5</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia <sup>6</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> For New Zealand, Cook Is. and Niue.

<sup>5</sup> For the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, the Isle of Man, Anguilla, Bermuda, British Antarctic Territory, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is.; St. Helena, St. Helena Dependencies, South Georgia and South Sandwich Is., Turks and Caicos Is., and United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in Cyprus.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**POLLUTION (Cont'd)**

Montreal protocol on substances that deplete the ozone layer, with annexes. Done at Montreal September 16, 1987; entered into force January 1, 1989.

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
European Economic Community  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece

Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia

St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Samoa  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syria  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>5</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

Amendments and adjustments:

June 29, 1990.

June 19-21, 1991.

November 23-25, 1992.

December 7, 1995.

September 15-17, 1997.

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>Not applicable to the Faroe Is.

<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>5</sup>Extended to the Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, the Isle of Man, Anguilla, Bermuda, British Antarctic Territory, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena, St. Helena Dependencies, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Is., Turks and Caicos Is.

<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**POLLUTION (Cont'd)**

OECD Council decision on the control of transfrontier movements of wastes destined for recovery operations. Adopted at Paris March 30, 1992; entered into force March 30, 1992. TIAS 11880.

Parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Canada  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Italy  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

**POPLAR COMMISSION**

Convention placing the International Poplar Commission within the framework of the Food and Agricultural Organization. Approved at the 10th Session of the Conference of the Food and Agricultural Organization, Rome, November 19, 1959; entered into force September 26, 1961; for the United States August 13, 1970. UST 2060; TIAS 6952; 410 UNTS 155.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Canada  
Chile  
China  
Croatia  
Egypt  
Finland  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Hungary  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea  
Lebanon  
Morocco  
Netherlands  
New Zealand<sup>3</sup>  
Pakistan  
Portugal  
Romania

South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

Amendments:

October 30, 1967 (21 UST 2060; TIAS 6952; 634 UNTS 433).

November 15, 1977 (29 UST 5579; TIAS 9130).

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> Not extended to territories.

<sup>4</sup> Extended to Channel Is. and Isle of Man.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS**

Constitution of the Universal Postal Union, with Final Protocol. Done at Vienna July 10, 1964; entered into force January 1, 1966. 16 UST 1291; TIAS 5881; 611 UNTS 7.

Additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964. Done at Tokyo November 14, 1969; entered into force July 1, 1971, except for Article V which entered into force January 1, 1971. 22 UST 1056; TIAS 7150; 810 UNTS 7.

Second additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964. Done at Lausanne July 5, 1974; entered into force January 1, 1976; definitively for the United States April 14, 1976. 27 UST 345; TIAS 8231; 1005 UNTS 9.

Third additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964, general regulations with annex, and the universal postal convention with final protocol and detailed regulations. Done at Hamburg July 27, 1984; entered into force January 1, 1986; definitively for the United States June 6, 1986. TIAS

Fourth additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964, general regulations and the universal postal convention with final protocol. Done at Washington December 14, 1989; entered into force January 1, 1991. TIAS

Fifth additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964, with general regulations and the universal postal convention with final protocol. Done at Seoul September 14, 1994; entered into force

January 1, 1996; definitively for the United States May 20, 1998. TIAS

Sixth additional protocol to the constitution of the Universal Postal Union of July 10, 1964, with general regulations and the universal postal convention with final protocol. Done at Beijing September 15, 1999; entered into force January 1, 2001; definitively for the United States April 10, 2001.\*

TIAS

States which are parties:

Afghanistan<sup>1</sup>  
Albania  
Algeria<sup>2</sup>  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
Argentina<sup>2</sup>  
Armenia  
Australia<sup>2 3</sup>  
Austria<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Azerbaijan<sup>1</sup>  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain<sup>2</sup>  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Belize<sup>1</sup>  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria<sup>\*\*</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burma<sup>1</sup>  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>\*\*</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Chad<sup>1 \*\*</sup>  
Chile  
China<sup>4</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus<sup>2</sup>  
Czech Rep.<sup>\*\*</sup>  
Denmark<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>5</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia<sup>1 2</sup>  
France<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Gabon

## POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS (Cont'd)

Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2 6</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2 6</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece<sup>2</sup>  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland<sup>2</sup>  
India  
Indonesia \*\*  
Iran<sup>2</sup>  
Iraq<sup>2</sup>  
Ireland<sup>2</sup>  
Israel<sup>2</sup>  
Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
Japan \*\*  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep. \*\*  
Kuwait<sup>2</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon<sup>2</sup>  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya<sup>2</sup>  
Liechtenstein<sup>2</sup>  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>2</sup>  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania<sup>2</sup>  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco \*\*  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia<sup>1</sup>  
Nauru  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
Netherlands Antilles<sup>7</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>2 8</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
Norway<sup>2</sup>  
Oman \*\*  
Pakistan<sup>2</sup>  
Panama \*\*  
Papua New Guinea

Paraguay  
Peru \*\*  
Philippines  
Poland \*\*  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Qatar  
Romania \*\*  
Russian Fed. \*\*  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe<sup>1</sup>  
Saudi Arabia<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep. \*\*  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
Somalia<sup>1</sup>  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>2</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan<sup>2</sup>  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Switzerland \*\*  
Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand \*\*  
Togo<sup>1</sup>  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
Tunisia<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Turkey<sup>2</sup>  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2 9</sup>  
United States<sup>2 10 \*\*</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu<sup>1</sup>  
Vatican City  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>2 \*\*</sup>  
Western Samoa<sup>1</sup>  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>2 11</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>2 11</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>1 12</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe<sup>1</sup>

### NOTES:

\* Unless otherwise indicated all states parties to the Constitution of the Universal Postal Union signed the Final Acts of the Universal Postal Congress, Beijing, 1999; those marked with a double asterisk (\*\*) have also deposited instruments of ratification/approval. The general regulations and universal postal convention adopted at Beijing replaced those adopted at Seoul September 14, 1994 which in turn replaced those adopted at previous postal congresses.

<sup>1</sup> Not a signatory to the Acts of the 1999 Beijing Congress.

<sup>2</sup> With a declaration

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to all territories.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Aruba as a separate entity as of January 1, 1986.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Cook Is., including Niue and the Tokelau Is.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to Channel Is., Isle of Man, Anguilla, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Falkland Islands, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Ducie and Oeno Islands, St. Helena, St. Helena Dependencies, South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands, Turks and Caicos Islands.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to the territories of the United States, and all areas for the international relations of which it is responsible.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Postal payment services agreement. Done at Beijing September 15, 1999; entered into force January 1, 2001; definitively for the United States April 10, 2001.\*

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Austria \*\*  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria \*\*  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada \*\*  
Cape Verde  
Chad<sup>1 \*\*</sup>  
Chile  
China  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep. \*\*  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Egypt  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Finland \*\*

## POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS (Cont'd)

France \*\*  
 Gabon  
 Gambia  
 Georgia  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Japan \*\*  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Kiribati  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep. \*\*  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco \*\*  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Mozambique  
 Nauru  
 Netherlands  
 Netherlands Antilles<sup>2</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Peru \*\*  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania \*\*  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino  
 Saudi Arabia<sup>1</sup> \*\*  
 Senegal  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep. \*\*

Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.  
 Somalia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Sweden \*\*  
 Switzerland \*\*  
 Syria \*\*  
 Tajikistan  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand \*\*  
 Tonga  
 Tunisia \*\*  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>  
 United States \*\*  
 Uruguay  
 Vatican City  
 Viet Nam \*\*  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>5</sup>  
 Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>5</sup>  
 Zambia

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> All of the above-listed countries signed the postal payment services agreement; those marked with a double asterisk (\*\*) have also deposited instruments of ratification/approval.

<sup>2</sup> Not a signatory

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Aruba as a separate entity as of January 1, 1986.

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to all territories.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

Constitution of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain, with final protocol. Done at Santiago November 26, 1971; entered into force for the United States July 1, 1972. 23 UST 2924; TIAS 7480.

Additional protocol to the constitution of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain. Done at Lima March 18, 1976; entered into force October 1, 1976. 30 UST 337; TIAS 9206.

Second additional protocol to the constitution of the Postal Union of the Americas and Spain, with general regulations. Done at Managua August 28, 1981; entered into force January 1, 1982.\*

### TIAS

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil<sup>2</sup>  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica<sup>2</sup>  
 Cuba<sup>2,3</sup>  
 Dominican Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
 Haiti<sup>4</sup>

Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua<sup>2</sup>  
 Panama<sup>2</sup>  
 Paraguay<sup>2</sup>  
 Peru<sup>2</sup>  
 Spain  
 Suriname  
 United States<sup>5</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela<sup>2</sup>

### NOTES:

\* While the United States has acceded to the second additional protocol most of the other parties have not yet done so. Even though not formally ratified, these agreements are customarily applied administratively.

<sup>1</sup> With statement.

<sup>2</sup> 1976 protocol provisionally in force.

<sup>3</sup> With reservation.

<sup>4</sup> Not a signatory to the 1976 protocol.

<sup>5</sup> Extended to all the territories of the United States including the Trust Territory of the Pacific Is.

## POTSDAM AGREEMENT

(See under WORLD WAR II)

## PRISONER TRANSFER

Convention on the transfer of sentenced persons. Done at Strasbourg March 21, 1983; entered into force July 1, 1985. 35 UST 2867; TIAS 10824.

States which are parties:

Albania<sup>1</sup>  
 Andorra  
 Armenia  
 Australia  
 Austria<sup>1</sup>  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas<sup>1</sup>  
 Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
 Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Costa Rica  
 Croatia<sup>1</sup>  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Estonia<sup>1</sup>  
 Finland<sup>1</sup>  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>1</sup>  
 Georgia<sup>1</sup>  
 Germany<sup>1</sup>  
 Greece<sup>1</sup>  
 Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
 Iceland<sup>1</sup>  
 Ireland<sup>1,3</sup>  
 Israel<sup>1</sup>  
 Italy<sup>1</sup>  
 Latvia<sup>1</sup>  
 Liechtenstein<sup>1</sup>  
 Lithuania<sup>1</sup>  
 Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
 Malta<sup>1</sup>

## PRISONER TRANSFER (Cont'd)

Netherlands<sup>1 4</sup>  
 Norway<sup>1 5</sup>  
 Panama<sup>1</sup>  
 Poland<sup>1</sup>  
 Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
 Romania<sup>1</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 Spain<sup>1</sup>  
 Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
 Switzerland<sup>1</sup>  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
 Ukraine  
 United Kingdom<sup>1 6</sup>  
 United States<sup>1</sup>  
 Yugoslavia

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup>Applicable to Faroe Is. and entire Kingdom of Denmark with exception of Greenland.

<sup>3</sup>With reservation(s).

<sup>4</sup>For the Kingdom in Europe, Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>5</sup>Extended to Bouvet Is., Peter I's Is. and Queen Maud Land.

<sup>6</sup>Extended to Anguilla, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and dependencies, and the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in Cyprus.

Inter-American convention on serving criminal sentences abroad. Done at Managua June 9, 1993; entered into force April 12, 1996; for the United States June 24, 2001.

### TIAS

### Parties:

Brazil  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Costa Rica  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 United States  
 Venezuela

## PRISONERS OF WAR

(See **RED CROSS  
 CONVENTIONS; RULES OF  
 WARFARE**)

## PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW

(See **LAW, PRIVATE  
 INTERNATIONAL**)

## PUBLICATIONS

Convention for the international exchange of official documents, scientific and literary publications. Concluded at Brussels March 15, 1886; entered into force January 14, 1889. 25 Stat. 1465; TS 381; 1 Bevans 107.

Convention for the immediate exchange of the official journals, parliamentary annals, and documents. Concluded at Brussels March 15, 1886; entered into force January 14, 1889. 25 Stat. 1469; TS 382; 1 Bevans 110.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Brazil  
 China<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Egypt  
 Hungary  
 Italy  
 Latvia  
 Paraguay<sup>1</sup>  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Spain  
 Switzerland<sup>1</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Not a party to convention on official journals, parliamentary annals, and documents (25 Stat. 1469; TS 382; 1 Bevans 110).

<sup>2</sup>Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>3</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention relating to the exchange of official, scientific, literary and industrial publications. Signed at Mexico January 27, 1902; entered into force July 16, 1902. TS 491-A; 1 Bevans 335.

States which are parties:

Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Cuba  
 El Salvador  
 Guatemala  
 Honduras  
 Mexico  
 Nicaragua  
 United States

Agreement for the repression of the circulation of obscene publications. Signed at Paris May 4, 1910; entered into force September 15, 1911. 37 Stat. 1511; TS 559; 1 Bevans 748.

Protocol amending the agreement for the suppression of the circulation of obscene publications signed at Paris May 4, 1910, with annex. Done at Lake Success May 4, 1949; entered

into force May 4, 1949; for the United States August 14, 1950.

1 UST 849; TIAS 2164; 30 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan<sup>1</sup>  
 Albania<sup>2</sup>  
 Antigua & Barbuda<sup>3</sup>  
 Australia<sup>4</sup>  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The<sup>3</sup>  
 Barbados<sup>3</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize<sup>3</sup>  
 Botswana<sup>3</sup>  
 Brazil<sup>2</sup>  
 Brunei<sup>3</sup>  
 Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>  
 Burma<sup>1</sup>  
 Cambodia  
 Canada  
 China<sup>5</sup>  
 Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica<sup>3</sup>  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
 Estonia<sup>2</sup>  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 France  
 Gambia, The<sup>3</sup>  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 6</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece<sup>1</sup>  
 Grenada<sup>3</sup>  
 Guatemala<sup>1</sup>  
 Guyana<sup>3</sup>  
 Haiti<sup>1</sup>  
 Hong Kong<sup>1 7</sup>  
 Hungary<sup>2</sup>  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
 Japan<sup>1</sup>  
 Jordan<sup>1</sup>  
 Kiribati<sup>3</sup>  
 Latvia<sup>2</sup>  
 Lesotho  
 Luxembourg  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Monaco<sup>2</sup>  
 Morocco<sup>1</sup>  
 Nauru<sup>3</sup>  
 Netherlands<sup>8</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>3</sup>  
 Paraguay<sup>1</sup>  
 Poland<sup>2</sup>

## PUBLICATIONS (Cont'd)

Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>3</sup>  
 San Marino<sup>2</sup>  
 Seychelles<sup>3</sup>  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore<sup>3</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Solomon Is.  
 South Africa<sup>9</sup>  
 Spain<sup>2</sup>  
 Sri Lanka  
 Suriname<sup>3</sup>  
 Swaziland<sup>3</sup>  
 Switzerland  
 Tanzania  
 Thailand<sup>2</sup>  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Turkey  
 Tuvalu<sup>3</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>10</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>11</sup>  
 United States  
 Western Samoa<sup>3</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe<sup>3</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Bound by virtue of ratification or adherence to, or application of, the convention for the suppression of the circulation of and the traffic in obscene publications signed at Geneva September 12, 1923 (27 LNTS 213) and amended by the protocol signed at Lake Success, New York November 12, 1947 (46 UNTS 201).

<sup>2</sup> Not a party to the protocol.

<sup>3</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Norfolk Is.

<sup>5</sup> Pre 1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Aruba and Netherlands Antilles.

<sup>9</sup> Applicable to Namibia.

<sup>10</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>11</sup> Applicable to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, St. Helena, and Turks and Caicos.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on interchange of publications. Signed at Buenos Aires December 23, 1936; entered into force April 1, 1938; for the United States October 23, 1939.

54 Stat. 1715; TS 954; 3 Bevans 378; 201 LNTS 295.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
 Colombia

Costa Rica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 El Salvador  
 Guatemala  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 United States<sup>1</sup>  
 Venezuela

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> With an understanding.

Convention concerning the international exchange of publications. Adopted at Paris December 3, 1958; entered into force November 23, 1961; for the United States June 9, 1968. 19 UST 4449; TIAS 6438; 416 UNTS 51.

Convention concerning the exchange of official publications and government documents between States. Adopted at Paris December 3, 1958; entered into force May 30, 1961; for the United States June 9, 1968. 19 UST 4467; TIAS 6439; 398 UNTS 9.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Brazil<sup>2</sup>  
 Bulgaria  
 Central African Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 China (Taiwan)<sup>4</sup>  
 Cuba  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>5</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Dominican  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 Finland  
 France  
 Georgia  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
 Guatemala  
 Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Indonesia  
 Iraq<sup>3</sup>  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
 Japan  
 Kiribati<sup>1</sup>  
 Libya  
 Lithuania<sup>2</sup>  
 Luxembourg  
 Malawi<sup>2</sup>  
 Malta  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands<sup>2,7</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Panama  
 Poland  
 Romania

St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
 Seychelles<sup>1,3</sup>  
 Singapore<sup>1</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Solomon Is.<sup>3</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka<sup>3</sup>  
 Suriname<sup>1</sup>  
 Sweden  
 Tajikistan  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
 Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>8</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
 United States  
 Zambia<sup>1</sup>  
 Zimbabwe<sup>1</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>2</sup> Not a party to the convention on official publications.

<sup>3</sup> Party to convention on official publications only.

<sup>4</sup> See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to Anguilla, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, and Montserrat.

Proces-verbal relating to the convention concerning the exchange of official publications and government documents between States. Signed at Paris October 18, 1960. 19 UST 4485; TIAS 6439.

Statutes of the International Center for the Registration of Serial Publications. Done at Paris November 14, 1974, and amended October 11 and 12, 1976; entered into force January 21, 1976; provisionally for the United States March 31, 1978.

## TIAS

States which are parties:

Argentina  
 Belgium  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 Cyprus  
 Denmark  
 Ecuador  
 Finland  
 Georgia  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Jamaica  
 Korea  
 Libya  
 Lithuania  
 Nigeria

**PUBLICATIONS (Cont'd)**

Norway  
Philippines  
Poland  
Romania  
Senegal  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

## RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

International convention on the elimination of all forms of racial discrimination. Done at New York December 21, 1965; entered into force January 4, 1969; for the United States November 20, 1994.

TIAS ; 660 UNTS 195.

## Parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>2,3,4</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica<sup>1</sup>  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1,3</sup>  
Cyprus<sup>1</sup>

Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
Haiti  
Holy See  
Honduras  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Iceland<sup>1</sup>  
India<sup>3</sup>  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq<sup>3</sup>  
Ireland  
Israel<sup>3</sup>  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Jamaica<sup>3</sup>  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait<sup>2</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon<sup>3</sup>  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya<sup>3</sup>  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
Madagascar<sup>3</sup>  
Malawi  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta<sup>2</sup>  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco<sup>3</sup>  
Mozambique<sup>3</sup>  
Namibia  
Nepal<sup>2,3</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>1,5</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Pakistan  
Panama

Papua New Guinea<sup>3</sup>  
Peru<sup>1</sup>  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>2,3</sup>  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.<sup>1</sup>  
Rwanda<sup>3</sup>  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal<sup>1</sup>  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>1,3</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland  
Syria<sup>3</sup>  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
United Arab Emirates<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2,6</sup>  
United States<sup>1,2,3</sup>  
Uruguay<sup>1</sup>  
Uzbekistan  
Venezuela  
Vietnam<sup>2,3</sup>  
Yemen<sup>3,7</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> With statement(s).

<sup>3</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declarations. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Dominica, St. Kitts & Nevis, Brunei and territories under territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## RADIO

(See TELECOMMUNICATION)

**RECIPROCAL  
ASSISTANCE, INTER-  
AMERICAN**

(See under DEFENSE)

**RED CROSS  
CONVENTIONS**

(See also INTERNATIONAL  
TRACING SERVICE; RULES OF  
WARFARE)

Convention for the amelioration of the condition of the wounded and sick in armed forces in the field.<sup>1</sup> Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.  
6 UST 3114; TIAS 3362; 75 UNTS 31.

Convention for the amelioration of the condition of the wounded, sick, and shipwrecked members of armed forces at sea. Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.  
6 UST 3217; TIAS 3363; 75 UNTS 85.

Convention relative to the treatment of prisoners of war.<sup>1</sup> Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.  
6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364; 75 UNTS 135.

Convention relative to the protection of civilian persons in time of war. Dated at Geneva August 12, 1949; entered into force October 21, 1950; for the United States February 2, 1956.  
6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365; 75 UNTS 287.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania<sup>2</sup>  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Australia<sup>3</sup>  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados<sup>3</sup>  
Belarus<sup>2</sup>  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon

Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>2,4</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czechoslovakia<sup>2,5</sup>  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia<sup>6</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2,7</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3,7</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau<sup>2</sup>  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Holy See  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel<sup>8,9,10</sup>  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Korea, Rep.<sup>10,11</sup>  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi

Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia, U.N. Council for  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>12</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>3</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan<sup>10</sup>  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland<sup>2</sup>  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Qatar  
Romania<sup>2</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname<sup>10</sup>  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine<sup>2</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,13</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>3,14</sup>  
United States<sup>3,8,10,15</sup>  
Uruguay<sup>10,11</sup>  
Uzbekistan

## RED CROSS CONVENTIONS (Cont'd)

Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>2 15</sup>  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>16</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>16</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>2 17</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> The 1949 conventions on the amelioration of the condition of the armed forces in the field and on prisoners of war replaced the conventions of July 27, 1929 (47 Stat. 2021 and 2074; TS 846 and 847) as between contracting parties. Estonia is not a party to the later conventions.

<sup>2</sup> With reservations to all four conventions.

<sup>3</sup> With statement.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> With reservation to "field" convention.

<sup>9</sup> With reservation to "sea" convention.

<sup>10</sup> With reservation to "civilians" convention.

<sup>11</sup> With reservation to "prisoners-of-war" convention.

<sup>12</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>13</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>14</sup> Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United Kingdom is responsible.

<sup>15</sup> With reference to the notification by the Federal Political Department of the Swiss Confederation dated November 8, 1976, that the Socialist Republic of Vietnam continues the participation of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and the Provisional Revolutionary Government of the Republic of South Vietnam, together with the reservations enunciated by both, the United States made clear its position on these previous accessions and specifically rejected all of these reservations in its Notes to the Federal Political Department of the Swiss Confederation dated September 17, 1957 and December 31, 1974.

<sup>16</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>17</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## REFUGEES

Protocol relating to the status of refugees.<sup>1</sup> Done at New York January 31, 1967; entered into force October 4, 1967; for the United States November 1, 1968.  
19 UST 6223; TIAS 6577; 606 UNTS 267.

### States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Angola<sup>2</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria<sup>3</sup>  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The<sup>2</sup>  
Belarus  
Belgium<sup>3</sup>  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana<sup>2 3</sup>  
Brazil<sup>3</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi<sup>2</sup>  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada<sup>3</sup>  
Cape Verde<sup>2</sup>  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile<sup>2</sup>  
China<sup>2 4</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo<sup>2</sup>  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cyprus<sup>3</sup>  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>3</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>3</sup>  
Egypt<sup>3</sup>  
El Salvador<sup>2</sup>  
Equatorial Guinea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>2 5</sup>  
Fiji<sup>3</sup>  
Finland<sup>3</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>3 6</sup>  
Gabon  
Gambia, The<sup>3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Ghana<sup>2</sup>  
Georgia  
Greece<sup>3</sup>  
Guatemala<sup>3</sup>  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Haiti  
Holy See<sup>3</sup>  
Honduras<sup>2</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Iran<sup>3</sup>  
Ireland<sup>3</sup>  
Israel<sup>3</sup>  
Italy<sup>3</sup>  
Jamaica<sup>2 3</sup>  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati<sup>8</sup>

Korea<sup>2 3</sup>  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia<sup>9</sup>  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Liechtenstein<sup>3</sup>  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg<sup>3</sup>  
Malawi<sup>2</sup>  
Mali  
Malta<sup>3</sup>  
Mauritania<sup>2</sup>  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Netherlands<sup>3 10</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>3</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>3</sup>  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>3 6</sup>  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda<sup>2</sup>  
St. Lucia<sup>8</sup>  
Samoa  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia<sup>2 3</sup>  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>3</sup>  
Sudan<sup>3</sup>  
Suriname  
Swaziland<sup>2</sup>  
Sweden<sup>3</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>3</sup>  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania<sup>2</sup>  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>3</sup>  
Turkmenistan<sup>9</sup>  
Tuvalu<sup>3</sup>  
Uganda<sup>3</sup>  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom<sup>3 11</sup>  
United States<sup>2</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela<sup>2</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>12</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>13</sup>  
Zambia<sup>3</sup>  
Zimbabwe

**REFUGEES (Cont'd)**

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Protocol incorporates articles 2 through 34 of the convention relating to the status of refugees of July 28, 1951 (189 UNTS 150). States parties to the convention not parties to the protocol are: Madagascar and Monaco. The United Kingdom also extended application of the convention to various territories for the international relations of which it was responsible.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup> With reservations and declarations to the convention.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Without geographical limitations.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>9</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>10</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>11</sup> Extended to Jersey and Montserrat.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>13</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**RENUNCIATION OF WAR**

Treaty providing for the renunciation of war as an instrument of national policy. Signed at Paris August 27, 1928; entered into force July 24, 1929.

46 Stat. 2343; TS 796; 2 Bevens 732; 94 LNTS 57.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Australia  
Austria  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Czech Rep.  
Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland

France  
Germany  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Latvia  
Liberia  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Saudi Arabia  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**REPARATIONS****(See also FINANCE: WORLD WAR II RELATED AGREEMENTS)**

Protocol on the talks between the Heads of the three governments at the Crimea Conference on the question of the German reparation in kind. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945.

*Foreign Relations of the United States*: "The Conferences at Malta and Yalta, 1945," pp. 968-975. 3 Bevens 1020.

States which are parties:

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>

United Kingdom  
United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Agreement on reparation from Germany, on the establishment of an inter-Allied reparation agency and on the restitution of monetary gold. Concluded at Paris January 14, 1946; entered into force January 24, 1946.

61 Stat. 3157; TIAS 1655; 4 Bevens 5; 555 UNTS 69.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Australia  
Belgium  
Canada  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
Egypt  
France  
Greece  
India  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Pakistan<sup>2</sup>  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See protocol of March 15, 1948 (62 Stat. 2613; TIAS 1797; 4 Bevens 701; 555 UNTS 104).

<sup>3</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement on a plan for allocation of a reparation share to nonrepatriable victims of German action, with annex. Signed at Paris June 14, 1946; entered into force June 14, 1946.

61 Stat. 2649; TIAS 1594; 4 Bevens 75.

States which are parties:

Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
France  
Slovak Rep.  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>2</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol relating to Austrian participation in the restitution of monetary gold looted by Germany, as provided in the reparation agreement of January 14, 1946. Signed at London November 4, 1947; entered into force November 4, 1947.

61 Stat. 3571; TIAS 1683; 4 Bevens 689; 93 UNTS 61.

States which are parties:

Austria  
France

**REPARATIONS (Cont'd)**

United Kingdom  
United States

Protocol relating to participation by Italy in the restitution of monetary gold looted by Germany, as provided in the reparation agreement of January 14, 1946. Signed at London December 16, 1947; effective September 15, 1947.

61 Stat. 3729; TIAS 1707; 4 Bevans 692; 82 UNTS 237.

States which are parties:

France  
Italy  
United Kingdom  
United States

Protocol relating to participation by Poland in the restitution of monetary gold looted by Germany, as provided in the reparation agreement signed at Paris January 14, 1946. Signed at London July 6, 1949; entered into force July 6, 1949.

63 Stat. 2677; TIAS 1970; 4 Bevans 850.

States which are parties:

France  
Poland  
United Kingdom  
United States

**RICE COMMISSION,  
INTERNATIONAL**

(See under **AGRICULTURE**)

**RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF  
STATES**

(See **STATES, RIGHTS AND  
DUTIES**)

**RIO TREATY**

(See under **DEFENSE**)

**ROAD TRAFFIC**

(See under **AUTOMOTIVE  
TRAFFIC**)

**RUBBER**

International natural rubber agreement, 1994. Done at Geneva February 17, 1995; entered into force provisionally, February 6, 1997; definitively, February 14, 1997.  
TIAS

Parties:

Austria  
Belgium\*  
China  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Denmark\*  
European Community\*  
Finland\*  
France  
Germany<sup>1</sup>\*  
Greece  
Indonesia  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Luxembourg\*  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
Nigeria\*  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom<sup>3</sup>  
United States

NOTES:

\* Provisional application.

<sup>1</sup> With declaration.

<sup>2</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>3</sup> In respect of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

**RULES OF WARFARE**

(See also **RED CROSS  
CONVENTIONS; WAR  
CRIMINALS**)

Convention regarding the rights of neutrals at sea. Signed at Washington July 22, 1854; entered into force October 31, 1854.

10 Stat. 1105; TS 300; 11 Bevans 1214.

States which are parties:

Nicaragua<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Declaration of accession by Nicaragua signed at Granada June 9, 1855 (7 Miller 139).

<sup>2</sup> See note under **UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS** in bilateral section.

Convention with respect to the laws and customs of war on land, with annex of regulations.<sup>1</sup> Signed at The Hague July 29, 1899; entered into force September 4, 1900; for the United States April 9, 1902.

32 Stat. 1803; TS 403; 1 Bevans 247.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Austria<sup>2</sup>  
Belgium<sup>2</sup>  
Bolivia<sup>2</sup>  
Brazil<sup>2</sup>  
Bulgaria  
Canada<sup>2</sup>  
Chile  
China<sup>2,3</sup>  
Colombia  
Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark<sup>2</sup>

Dominican Rep.<sup>2</sup>

Ecuador  
El Salvador\*  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Germany<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
Haiti<sup>2</sup>  
Honduras  
Hungary<sup>2</sup>  
India<sup>2</sup>  
Iran  
Ireland<sup>2</sup>  
Italy  
Japan<sup>2</sup>  
Korea  
Laos<sup>2</sup>  
Luxembourg<sup>2</sup>  
Mexico<sup>2</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>2</sup>  
Nicaragua<sup>2</sup>  
Norway<sup>2</sup>  
Pakistan<sup>2</sup>  
Panama<sup>2</sup>  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines<sup>2</sup>  
Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
Romania<sup>2</sup>  
South Africa<sup>2</sup>  
Spain  
Sri Lanka<sup>2</sup>  
Sweden<sup>2</sup>  
Switzerland<sup>2</sup>  
Thailand<sup>2</sup>  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,4</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>2</sup>  
United States<sup>2</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Replaced by convention of October 18, 1907 (36 Stat. 2277; TS 539), as between contracting parties to the later convention. Sections II and III of the regulations are supplemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365), relative to protection of civilians in time of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions; chapter II of the regulations is complemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364), relative to treatment of prisoners of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions.

<sup>2</sup> Party to convention of October 18, 1907.

<sup>3</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>4</sup> See note under **UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS** in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under **YUGOSLAVIA** in bilateral section.

Convention for the exemption of hospital ships, in time of war, from the payment of all dues and taxes imposed for the benefit of the state. Done at The Hague December 21, 1904; entered into force March 26, 1907.

35 Stat. 1854; TS 459; 1 Bevans 430.

States which are parties:

Austria  
Belgium

## RULES OF WARFARE (Cont'd)

China<sup>1</sup>  
Cuba  
Denmark  
France  
Germany<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Iran  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Peru  
Poland, including Free City of Danzig  
Portugal  
Romania<sup>1</sup>  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention relative to the opening of hostilities. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910. 36 Stat. 2259; TS 538; 1 Bevans 619.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary  
India  
Ireland  
Japan  
Laos  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Philippines

Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention respecting the laws and customs of war on land, with annex of regulations.<sup>1</sup> Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2277; TS 539; 1 Bevans 631.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria<sup>2</sup>  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Cuba  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Finland  
France  
Germany<sup>2</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary<sup>2</sup>  
India  
Ireland  
Japan<sup>2</sup>  
Laos  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
South Africa  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2,5</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Sections II and III of the regulations are supplemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3516; TIAS 3365), relative to protection of civilians in time of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions; chapter II of the regulations is complemented by convention of August 12, 1949 (6 UST 3316; TIAS 3364), relative to treatment of prisoners of war, as between contracting parties to both conventions.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention respecting the rights and duties of neutral powers and persons in case of war on land. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910. 36 Stat. 2310; TS 540; 1 Bevans 654.

States which are parties:

Austria  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Cuba  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary  
Japan  
Laos  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention relative to the laying of automatic submarine contact mines. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2332; TS 541; 1 Bevans 669.

States which are parties:

Australia<sup>1</sup>

## RULES OF WARFARE (Cont'd)

Austria  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Finland  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Germany<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Laos<sup>1</sup>  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Pakistan<sup>1</sup>  
Panama  
Philippines  
Romania  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
Switzerland  
Thailand<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

<sup>2</sup>Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

Convention concerning bombardment by naval forces in time of war. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2351; TS 542; 1 Bevans 681.

States which are parties:

Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Cuba  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Finland  
France<sup>1</sup>  
Germany<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
Japan<sup>1</sup>

Laos<sup>1</sup>  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Pakistan<sup>1</sup>  
Panama  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
South Africa<sup>1</sup>  
Spain  
Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>1</sup>  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

<sup>2</sup>Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Convention relative to certain restrictions with regard to the exercise of the right of capture in naval war. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910.

36 Stat. 2396; TS 544; 1 Bevans 711.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Canada  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary  
India  
Ireland  
Japan  
Laos  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden

Switzerland  
Thailand  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

Convention concerning the rights and duties of neutral powers in naval war. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force January 26, 1910; for the United States February 1, 1910.

36 Stat. 2415; TS 545; 1 Bevans 723.

States which are parties:

Austria  
Belgium  
Brazil  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Denmark  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
Finland  
France  
Germany<sup>1</sup>  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Hungary  
Japan<sup>1</sup>  
Laos  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Philippines<sup>4</sup>  
Portugal  
Romania  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>5</sup>  
United States<sup>4</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

<sup>2</sup>Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>With reservation and understanding.

<sup>5</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Declaration prohibiting the discharge of projectiles and explosives from balloons. Signed at The Hague October 18, 1907; entered into force November 27, 1909.

36 Stat. 2439; TS 546; 1 Bevans 739.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
China<sup>1</sup>  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
Haiti

## RULES OF WARFARE (Cont'd)

India  
Ireland  
Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Philippines  
Portugal  
South Africa  
Sri Lanka  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Pre 1949 convention, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

Convention on maritime neutrality. Signed at Habana February 20, 1928; entered into force January 12, 1931; for the United States March 22, 1932.

47 Stat. 1989; TS 845; 2 Bevans 721; 135 LNTS 187.

States which are parties:

Bolivia  
Colombia  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Haiti  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
United States<sup>1</sup>

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

Treaty for the limitation and reduction of naval armament. Signed at London April 22, 1930; entered into force December 31, 1930.  
46 Stat. 2858; TS 830; 2 Bevans 1055; 112 LNTS 65.

All provisions of this treaty with the exception of Part IV, which relates to rules of international law in regard to the operations of submarines or other war vessels with respect to merchant vessels, expired on December 31, 1936. Under the terms of article 23, Part IV "shall remain in force without limit of time". States which are parties to Part IV:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Costa Rica  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
Egypt

El Salvador  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Holy See  
Hungary  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Mexico  
Nepal  
Netherlands, including Curacao  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Panama  
Peru  
Poland  
Saudi Arabia  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Thailand  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>3</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## SABOTAGE

(See under AVIATION)

## SAFETY AT SEA

(See under MARITIME MATTERS)

## SALE OF GOODS

(See under TRADE AND COMMERCE)

## SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

Agreement on cooperation in inter-continental testing in connection with experimental communications satellites. Exchanges of notes at Stockholm July 5 and 25, 1963, at Oslo July 8 and September 11, 1963, and at Copenhagen July 2 and September 14, 1963; entered into force September 14, 1963.

14 UST 1278; TIAS 5431; 488 UNTS 121.

States which are parties:

Denmark  
Norway  
Sweden  
United States

Agreement relating to the International Telecommunications Satellite Organization (INTELSAT), with annexes. Done at Washington August 20, 1971; entered into force February 12, 1973.

23 UST 3813; TIAS 7532.

Operating agreement relating to the International Telecommunications Satellite Organization (INTELSAT), with annex. Done at Washington August 20, 1971; entered into force February 12, 1973.

23 UST 4091; TIAS 7532.

Parties:<sup>1</sup>

Afghanistan  
Algeria  
Angola  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belgium  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>2</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
Denmark

## SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS (Cont'd)

Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Equatorial Guinea  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Lebanon  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea

Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vatican City  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>8</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Parties to the INTELSAT agreement may designate a "telecommunications entity" as the "signatory" to the Operating Agreement. The Communications Satellite Corporation (COMSAT) has been so designated by the United States. A list of the other entities so designated is on file in the Office of the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State.

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention relating to the distribution of programme-carrying signals transmitted by satellite. Done at Brussels May 21, 1974; entered

into force August 25, 1979; for the United States March 7, 1985.

TIAS 11078.

States which are parties:

Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1,2</sup>  
Greece  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Jamaica  
Kenya  
Mexico  
Morocco  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
Slovenia  
Switzerland  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United States  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (INMARSAT), with annex. Done at London September 3, 1976; entered into force July 16, 1979.

31 UST 1; TIAS 9605.

### Parties:

Algeria  
Argentina  
Australia  
Bahamas  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Costa Rica  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Finland  
France  
Gabon  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>2</sup>

## SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS (Cont'd)

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>

Ghana

Greece

Hungary

Iceland

India

Indonesia<sup>3</sup>

Iran

Iraq

Israel

Italy

Japan

Kenya

Korea

Kuwait

Latvia

Lebanon

Liberia

Libya

Malaysia

Malta

Marshall Is.

Mauritius

Mexico

Monaco

Morocco

Mozambique

Netherlands<sup>4</sup>

New Zealand

Nigeria

Norway

Oman

Pakistan

Panama

Peru

Philippines

Poland

Portugal

Qatar

Romania

Russian Fed.

Saudi Arabia

Senegal

Singapore

Slovak Rep.

South Africa

Spain

Sri Lanka

Sweden

Switzerland

Tanzania

Thailand

Tunisia

Turkey

Ukraine

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>5</sup>

United Arab Emirates

United Kingdom<sup>6</sup>

United States

Vietnam

Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>

Amendment:

April 24, 1998.

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>With statement.

<sup>4</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>5</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup>Extended to Bermuda.

<sup>7</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Understanding concerning participation by Norway in an investigation of the demonstration and evaluation of an experimental satellite-aided search and rescue system. Signed at Ottawa, Paris, Washington and Oslo September 25 and 30, October 19 and November 13, 1981; entered into force November 13, 1981.

TIAS 12378.

States which are parties:

Canada

France

Norway

United States

International COSPAS-SARSAT program agreement. Done at Paris July 1, 1988; entered into force August 30, 1988.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada

France

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>

United States

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

Memorandum of agreement concerning the SARSAT Space Segment. Done at Washington September 11, 1995; entered into force November 10, 1995.

TIAS 12690; 2026 UNTS 187.

Parties:

Canada

France

United States

## SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION

Agreement to establish a science and technology center in Ukraine. Done at Kiev October 25, 1993; entered into force July 16, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada

Ukraine

United States

Agreement establishing the Middle East Desalination Research Center. Signed at Muscat December 22, 1996; entered into force December 22, 1996.

TIAS

Parties:

Israel

Japan

Korea

Oman

United States

## SEA, LAW OF

(See under FISHERIES;  
MARITIME MATTERS)

## SEABEDS

Treaty on the prohibition of the emplacement of nuclear weapons and other weapons of mass destruction on the seabed and the ocean floor and in the subsoil thereof. Done at Washington, London and Moscow February 11, 1971, entered into force May 18, 1972.

23 UST 701; TIAS 7337; 955 UNTS 115.

Parties:

Afghanistan

Algeria

Antigua & Barbuda

Argentina

Australia

Austria

Bahamas, The

Belarus

Belgium

Benin

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Botswana

Brazil<sup>1 2</sup>

Brunei<sup>3</sup>

Bulgaria

Canada<sup>2</sup>

Cape Verde

Central African Rep.

China<sup>2 4</sup>

China (Taiwan)<sup>5</sup>

Congo

Cote d'Ivoire

Croatia

Cuba

Cyprus

Czech Rep.

Denmark

Dominica<sup>3</sup>

Dominican Rep.

Ethiopia<sup>6</sup>

Finland

German Dem. Rep.<sup>7</sup>

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>7</sup>

Ghana

Greece

Grenada<sup>3</sup>

Guatemala

Guinea-Bissau

Hungary

Iceland

India<sup>2</sup>

Iran

Iraq

Ireland

Italy<sup>2</sup>

Jamaica

Japan

Jordan

Korea

Laos

Latvia

Lesotho

**SEABEDS (Cont'd)**

Liechtenstein  
 Luxembourg  
 Malaysia  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico<sup>2</sup>  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>8</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Panama  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Sao Tome & Principe  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Seychelles  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.<sup>3</sup>  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Swaziland  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Togo  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey<sup>2</sup>  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
 United States  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>11</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>  
 Zambia

**NOTES:**<sup>1</sup> With understanding(s).<sup>2</sup> With declaration.<sup>3</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.<sup>5</sup> See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.<sup>8</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.<sup>10</sup> Extended to Anguilla, and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement concerning interim arrangements relating to polymetallic nodules of the deep sea bed. Done at Washington September 2, 1982; entered into force September 2, 1982.  
 TIAS 10562; 1871 UNTS 275.

States which are parties:

France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**NOTE:**<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Provisional understanding regarding deep seabed matters, with memorandum of implementation, joint record, and related exchanges of notes. Signed at Geneva August 3, 1984; entered into force September 2, 1984.  
 TIAS 11066.

States which are parties:

Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Italy<sup>1</sup>  
 Japan  
 Netherlands<sup>1 3</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**NOTES:**<sup>1</sup> With declaration.<sup>2</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.<sup>3</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe only.

Memorandum of understanding on the avoidance of overlaps and conflicts relating to deep seabed areas, with annexes. Signed at New York February 22, 1991; entered into force February 22, 1991.  
 TIAS

Memorandum of understanding on the avoidance of overlaps and conflicts relating to deep sea-bed areas, with annexes. Done at New York August 20, 1991; entered into force August 28, 1991; effective August 20, 1991.  
 TIAS 11825.

Parties:

Canada  
 Czech Rep.  
 Germany  
 Italy  
 Poland  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

**NOTE:**<sup>1</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.**SHIPPING**

(See under MARITIME  
 MATTERS; RULES OF  
 WARFARE)

**SLAVERY**

(See also TRAFFIC IN WOMEN  
 AND CHILDREN)

Convention to suppress the slave trade and slavery. Concluded at Geneva September 25, 1926; entered into force March 9, 1927; for the United States March 21, 1929.  
 46 Stat. 2183; TS 778; 2 Bevans 607; 60 LNTS 253.

Protocol amending the slavery convention signed at Geneva on September 25, 1926, with annex. Done at New York December 7, 1953; entered into force December 7, 1953; for the United States March 7, 1956.  
 7 UST 479; TIAS 3532; 182 UNTS 51.

Supplementary convention on the abolition of slavery, the slave trade and institutions and practices similar to slavery. Done at Geneva September 7, 1956; entered into force April 30, 1957; for the United States December 6, 1967.

18 UST 3201; TIAS 6418; 266 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Algeria  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia<sup>2</sup>  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Belize<sup>3</sup>  
 Benin<sup>4</sup>  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana<sup>3</sup>  
 Brazil  
 Brunei<sup>3</sup>  
 Bulgaria  
 Burma<sup>5</sup>  
 Cambodia<sup>1</sup>  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chile  
 China (Taiwan)<sup>6</sup>  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Djibouti<sup>1</sup>  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 Estonia<sup>4</sup>  
 Ethiopia<sup>7</sup>  
 Fiji

**SLAVERY (Cont'd)**

Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>8</sup>  
 Gambia, The<sup>3</sup>  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>9</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>9</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada<sup>3</sup>  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guyana<sup>3</sup>  
 Haiti  
 Hong Kong<sup>10</sup>  
 Hungary  
 Iceland<sup>1</sup>  
 India<sup>5</sup>  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Jordan  
 Kiribati<sup>3</sup>  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Laos<sup>1</sup>  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon<sup>4</sup>  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia<sup>4</sup>  
 Libya  
 Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
 Macao<sup>10</sup>  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Nauru<sup>3</sup>  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>11</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>12</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Papua New Guinea<sup>4</sup>  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>3</sup>  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino<sup>1</sup>  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles<sup>3</sup>  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore<sup>1</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.

Slovenia<sup>1</sup>  
 Solomon Is.  
 South Africa<sup>4 13</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Swaziland<sup>3</sup>  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tanzania  
 Togo  
 Tonga<sup>3</sup>  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Tuvalu<sup>3</sup>  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>14</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>15</sup>  
 United States<sup>5 16</sup>  
 Uruguay<sup>1</sup>  
 Viet-Nam<sup>4 17</sup>  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>18</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>19</sup>  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe<sup>3</sup>

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> Party to Supplementary Convention only.  
<sup>2</sup> Extended to all non-selfgoverning territories and other non-metropolitan territories for the international relations of which Australia is responsible.  
<sup>3</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>4</sup> Party only to the Convention.  
<sup>5</sup> With reservation to the Convention.  
<sup>6</sup> Convention and Protocol are pre 1949 agreements applicable only to Taiwan. See also note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>8</sup> Extended to all overseas departments and territories.  
<sup>9</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>10</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.  
<sup>11</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>12</sup> Extended to Cook Is. (including Niue) and the Tokelau Is.  
<sup>13</sup> Extended to Namibia.  
<sup>14</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>15</sup> Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Channel Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, and St. Helena.  
<sup>16</sup> Extended to all territories for the international relations of which the United States is responsible.  
<sup>17</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AUTOMOTIVE TRAFFIC: convention of September 19, 1949 (3 UST 3008; TIAS 2487; 125 UNTS 22).  
<sup>18</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>19</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION**

Agreement establishing the South Pacific Commission. Signed at Canberra February 6, 1947; entered into force July 29, 1948.  
 2 UST 1787; TIAS 2317; 97 UNTS 227.

Parties:  
 Australia  
 Cook Is.  
 Fiji  
 France  
 Nauru  
 New Zealand  
 Niue  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Solomon Is.  
 Tuvalu  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Western Samoa

Amendments:  
 November 7, 1951 (3 UST 2851; TIAS 2458; 124 UNTS 320).  
 April 5, 1954 (5 UST 639; TIAS 2952; 201 UNTS 374).  
 October 6, 1964 (16 UST 1055; TIAS 5845; 542 UNTS 350).  
 October 2, 1974 (26 UST 1606; TIAS 8120).  
 October 20, 1976 (33 UST 585; TIAS 10051).  
 October 7-12, 1978 (33 UST 590; TIAS 10052).

**SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION (SEATO)**

(See under DEFENSE)

**SPACE**

(See also ASTRONAUTS)

Treaty on principles governing the activities of states in the exploration and use of outer space, including the moon and other celestial bodies. Done at Washington, London, and Moscow January 27, 1967; entered into force October 10, 1967.  
 18 UST 2410; TIAS 6347; 610 UNTS 205.

Parties:  
 Afghanistan  
 Algeria  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belarus  
 Belgium

## SPACE (Cont'd)

Benin  
 Brazil<sup>1</sup>  
 Brunei<sup>2</sup>  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 China<sup>3,4</sup>  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica<sup>2</sup>  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Greece  
 Grenada<sup>2</sup>  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Iraq  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Kuwait  
 Laos  
 Lebanon  
 Libya  
 Madagascar<sup>1</sup>  
 Mali  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>2</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>2</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Solomon Is.<sup>2</sup>  
 South Africa

Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Swaziland<sup>2</sup>  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Tonga  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>7</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>9</sup>  
 Zambia

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With a statement.

<sup>2</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>3</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this treaty. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Anguilla and to the territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>9</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

Agreement for a cooperative program concerning the development, procurement and use of a space laboratory in conjunction with the space shuttle system, with memorandum of understanding between the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the European Space Research Organization. Done at Neuilly-sur-Seine August 14, 1973; entered into force August 14, 1973.

24 UST 2049; TIAS 7722.

States which are parties:

Belgium  
 Denmark  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Italy  
 Netherlands  
 Spain  
 Switzerland  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

## NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

Convention on international liability for damage caused by space objects. Done at Washington, London, and Moscow March 29, 1972;

entered into force September 1, 1972; for the United States October 9, 1973.

24 UST 2389; TIAS 7762; 961 UNTS 187.

Parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria<sup>1</sup>  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Benin  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada<sup>1</sup>  
 Chile  
 China<sup>2,3</sup>  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
 Dominica<sup>4</sup>  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 European Space Agency<sup>5</sup>  
 European Telecommunications Satellite Org.<sup>5</sup>  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 France  
 Gabon  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>6</sup>  
 Greece  
 Grenada<sup>4</sup>  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Ireland<sup>1</sup>  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Laos  
 Liechtenstein  
 Luxembourg  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mexico  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>4</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>4</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>4</sup>  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Seychelles  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.

**SPACE (Cont'd)**

Slovenia  
 Solomon Is.<sup>4</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden<sup>1</sup>  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Togo  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 Tunisia  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>8</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>9</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>  
 Zambia

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With a declaration.<sup>2</sup> The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to this convention. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.<sup>4</sup> See under country heading in bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.<sup>5</sup> Declaration of acceptance in accordance with Art. XXII.<sup>6</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.<sup>7</sup> Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, Netherlands Antilles, and Aruba.<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.<sup>9</sup> Extended to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on registration of objects launched into outer space. Done at New York January 14, 1975; entered into force September 15, 1976.

28 UST 695; TIAS 8480; 1023 UNTS 15.

## Parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Brunei<sup>1</sup>  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 China<sup>2</sup>  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
 European Organization for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites  
 European Space Agency  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Japan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Liechtenstein  
 Mexico  
 Mongolia  
 Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Seychelles  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>5</sup>  
 United Arab Emirates  
 United Kingdom<sup>6</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Anguilla and territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Arrangement concerning application of the space station intergovernmental agreement pending its entry into force. Signed at Washington January 29, 1998; entered into force January 29, 1998.

## TIAS

Parties:  
 Canada  
 Denmark  
 Germany  
 Netherlands  
 Norway  
 Russian Fed.  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

Agreement concerning cooperation on the civil international space station, with annex. Signed

at Washington January 29, 1998; entered into force March 27, 2001.

## TIAS

Parties:  
 Canada  
 Japan  
 Russian Fed.  
 United States

**SPITZBERGEN**

Treaty relating to Spitzbergen (Svalbard), with annex. Done at Paris February 9, 1920; entered into force August 14, 1925.

43 Stat. 1892; TS 686; 2 Bevans 269; 2 LNTS 7.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
 Albania  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Belgium  
 Bulgaria  
 Canada  
 Chile  
 China<sup>1</sup>  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Egypt  
 Estonia  
 Finland  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
 Greece  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Monaco  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Norway  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Slovak Rep.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Venezuela  
 Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Pre 1949 treaty, applicable only to Taiwan.<sup>2</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## STATES, RIGHTS AND DUTIES

Convention on the rights and duties of states in the event of civil strife. Done at Habana February 20, 1928; entered into force May 21, 1929; for the United States May 21, 1930. 46 Stat. 2749; TS 814; 2 Bevans 694; 134 LNTS 45.

States which are parties:

Argentina  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With an understanding.

Convention on rights and duties of states. Done at Montevideo December 26, 1933; entered into force December 26, 1934. 49 Stat. 3097; TS 881; 3 Bevans 145; 165 LNTS 19.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Venezuela

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

## SUBMARINE CABLES

(See under  
TELECOMMUNICATION)

## TANGIER, STATUS OF

(See MOROCCO)

## TAXATION

Convention on mutual administrative assistance in tax matters. Signed at Strasbourg January 25, 1988; entered into force April 1, 1995.

TIAS

Parties:

Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Finland  
Iceland<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden  
United States<sup>1</sup>

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>With reservation(s) and declaration(s).

Agreement on state and local taxation of foreign employees of public international organizations. Done at Washington April 21, 1992; entered into force May 24, 1994.

TIAS 12135.

Parties:

Eastern Caribbean Investment Promotion Service  
European Space Agency  
Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations  
Inter-American Defense Board  
Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture  
International Committee of the Red Cross  
International Food Policy Research Institute  
International Maritime Satellite Organization  
International Telecommunications Satellite Organization  
Inter-Parliamentary Union  
Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development  
Organization of American States  
Pan American Health Organization  
United States  
World Health Organization

## TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Agreement on technological safeguards associated with the launch of the INMARSAT-3 satellite. Signed at Washington February 14, 1994; entered into force August 19, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Kazakhstan  
Russian Fed.  
United States

## TELECOMMUNICATION

(See also SATELLITE  
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS)

Convention for protection of submarine cables, signed at Paris March 14, 1884.<sup>1</sup> Declaration respecting the interpretation of articles II and IV, signed at Paris December 1, 1886; Final

Protocol of agreement fixing May 1, 1888 as the date of effect of the convention, signed at Paris July 7, 1887; entered into force May 1, 1888.

24 Stat. 989; 25 Stat. 1424; TS 380, 380 1 and 2, 380-3; 1 Bevans 89, 112, 114.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Argentina  
Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Brazil  
Canada  
Costa Rica  
Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
Denmark  
Dominican Rep.  
El Salvador  
Fiji  
France  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Hong Kong<sup>4</sup>  
Hungary  
Italy  
Japan  
Luxembourg  
Macao<sup>4</sup>  
Malta  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sweden  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to all territories.

<sup>2</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong and Macao.

<sup>5</sup>Extended to Curacao.

<sup>6</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

*Inter-American Agreements*

Inter-American radiocommunications convention, with annexes.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Habana December 13, 1937; entered into force July 1, 1938; for the United States July 21, 1938 for Parts One, Three, and Four; April 17, 1939 for Part Two. 53 Stat. 1576; TS 938; 3 Bevans 462.

## TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

States which are parties:

Bahamas, The  
Brazil<sup>2</sup>  
Canada  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Haiti  
Mexico  
Panama  
Paraguay<sup>3</sup>  
United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Part 2 of the convention (Inter-American Radio Office) terminated for all parties December 20, 1958.

<sup>2</sup>With reservation.

<sup>3</sup>In force provisionally.

Regional radio convention for Central America, Panama, and the Canal Zone. Signed at Guatemala December 8, 1938; entered into force October 8, 1939.

54 Stat. 1675; TS 949; 3 Bevans 529; 202 LNTS 49.

States which are parties:

Guatemala  
Nicaragua  
United States

Inter-American radio agreement, with annex, appendices, declaration, resolutions, and recommendations.<sup>1</sup> Done at Washington July 9, 1949; entered into force April 13, 1952.

3 UST 3064; TIAS 2489; 168 UNTS 143.

States which are parties:

Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Paraguay  
United States

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>The 1949 agreement replaces the agreement of January 26, 1940 (55 Stat. 1482; EAS 231; 3 Bevans 611) which in turn replaced the arrangement of December 13, 1937 (54 Stat. 2514; EAS 200; 3 Bevans 480). The 1940 agreement remains in force as between the contracting parties (including the United States) and Brazil, Canada (with reservation), Chile and Venezuela. The 1937 arrangement remains in force as between the contracting parties and Peru and Panama.

Multilateral declaration to denounce Part Two (Inter-American Radio Office) of the inter-American radiocommunications convention of December 13, 1937.<sup>1</sup> Signed at Washington December 20, 1957; entered into force December 20, 1957.

9 UST 1037; TIAS 4079.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Canada  
Cuba  
Dominican Rep.  
Haiti  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
United States

NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>A contract on the exchange of notifications of radio broadcasting frequencies between the Pan American Union and the Governments of Canada, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Haiti, Jamaica, Mexico, and the United States was signed at Washington on December 20, 1957, effective January 1, 1958. (For text see 9 UST 1050; TIAS 4079.)

North American regional broadcasting agreement, with final protocol. Signed at Washington November 15, 1950; entered into force April 19, 1960.

11 UST 413; TIAS 4460.

States which are parties:

Dominican Rep.  
United Kingdom  
United States

Inter-American convention on amateur radio service. Done at Lima August 14, 1987; entered into force September 13, 1987; for the United States March 20, 1991.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
Chile  
Colombia  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Mexico  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Suriname  
United States  
Venezuela

### *British Commonwealth Agreements*

Agreement revising the telecommunications agreement signed at Bermuda December 4,

1945.<sup>1</sup> Annexed to the Final Act of the United States-Commonwealth telecommunications meeting signed at London August 12, 1949; entered into force February 24, 1950.

3 UST 2686; TIAS 2435; 87 UNTS 131.

States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda<sup>2</sup>  
Australia  
Bahamas, The<sup>2</sup>  
Barbados<sup>2</sup>  
Belize<sup>2</sup>  
Botswana<sup>2</sup>  
Canada  
Cyprus<sup>2</sup>  
Dominica<sup>2</sup>  
Fiji  
Gambia, The<sup>2</sup>  
Ghana<sup>2</sup>  
Grenada<sup>2</sup>  
Guyana<sup>2</sup>  
India  
Jamaica<sup>2</sup>  
Kiribati<sup>2</sup>  
Lesotho<sup>2</sup>  
Malaysia<sup>2</sup>  
Malta<sup>2</sup>  
Mauritius<sup>2</sup>  
Nauru<sup>2</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nigeria<sup>2</sup>  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea<sup>2</sup>  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>2</sup>  
St. Lucia<sup>2</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>2</sup>  
Seychelles<sup>2</sup>  
Sierra Leone<sup>2</sup>  
Singapore<sup>2</sup>  
South Africa  
Sri Lanka  
Swaziland<sup>2</sup>  
Tanzania<sup>2</sup>  
Tonga<sup>2</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago<sup>2</sup>  
Tuvalu<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Western Samoa<sup>2</sup>  
Zambia<sup>2</sup>  
Zimbabwe<sup>2</sup>

Amendment:

October 1, 1952 (3 UST 5140; TIAS 2705; 151 UNTS 378).

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Applicable to all territories.

<sup>2</sup>See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

## TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

### *International Telecommunication Union*

For parties to following agreements, see chart beginning below.

Radio regulations, with appendices and final protocol. Done at Geneva December 6, 1979; entered into force January 1, 1982; definitively for the United States October 27, 1983.<sup>1</sup>  
TIAS

Partial revisions of Radio Regulations (Geneva, 1979):

Relating to mobile services. Done at Geneva March 18, 1983; entered into force January 15, 1985; for the United States April 6, 1993.  
TIAS

On the use of the geostationary-satellite orbit and on the planning of space services utilizing it. Done at Geneva September 15, 1985; entered into force October 30, 1986; for the United States April 6, 1993.  
TIAS

Relating to mobile services. Done at Geneva October 17, 1987; entered into force October 3, 1989; for the United States April 6, 1993.  
TIAS

On the use of the geostationary-satellite orbit and on the planning of space services utilizing it. Done at Geneva October 6, 1988; entered into force March 16, 1990; for the United States April 6, 1993.  
TIAS

States which are parties:	1979 Radio Regulations Geneva <sup>1</sup>	1983 Revision Mobile Services	1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit	1987 Revision Mobile Services	1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit
Afghanistan	X	X	X	X	X
Albania	X	X	X	X	X
Algeria	X	X	X	X	X
Andorra	X	X	X	X	X
Angola	X	X	X		
Antigua & Barbuda	X	X	X		
Argentina	X	X	X	X	X
Armenia	X	X	X	X	X
Australia	X	X	X	X	X
Austria	X	X	X	X	X
Azerbaijan	X	X	X	X	X
Bahamas	X	X	X	X	X
Bahrain	X	X	X	X	X
Bangladesh	X	X	X	X	X
Barbados	X	X	X	X	X
Belarus	X	X	X	X	X
Belgium	X	X	X	X	X
Belize	X	X	X	X	X
Benin	X	X	X	X	X
Bhutan	X	X	X	X	X
Bolivia	X	X	X	X	X
Bosnia-Herzegovina	X	X	X	X	X
Botswana	X	X	X	X	X
Brazil	X	X	X	X	X
Brunei	X	X	X	X	X
Bulgaria	X	X	X	X	X
Burkina Faso	X	X	X	X	X
Burma	X	X	X	X	X
Burundi	X	X	X	X	X
Cambodia	X	X	X	X	X
Cameroon	X	X	X	X	X
Canada	X	X	X	X	X
Cape Verde	X	X	X	X	X
Central African Rep.	X	X	X	X	X
Chad	X	X	X	X	X
Chile	X	X	X	X	X
China	X	X	X	X	X
Colombia	X	X	X	X	X
Comoros	X	X	X	X	X
Congo	X	X	X	X	X
Congo, Dem. Rep.	X	X	X		
Cote d'Ivoire	X	X	X	X	X
Croatia	X	X	X	X	X
Cuba	X	X	X	X	X

## TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

States which are parties:	1979 Radio Regulations Geneva <sup>1</sup>	1983 Revision Mobile Services	1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit	1987 Revision Mobile Services	1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit
Cyprus	X	X	X	X	X
Czech Rep.	X	X	X	X	X
Denmark	X	X	X	X	X
Djibouti	X	X	X	X	X
Dominica	X	X	X	X	X
Ecuador	X	X	X	X	X
Egypt	X	X	X	X	X
El Salvador	X	X	X	X	X
Equatorial Guinea	X	X			
Eritrea	X	X	X	X	X
Estonia	X	X	X	X	X
Ethiopia	X	X	X	X	X
Fiji	X	X	X	X	X
Finland	X	X	X	X	X
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	X	X	X	X	X
France	X	X	X	X	X
Gabon	X	X	X	X	X
Gambia, The	X	X	X	X	X
Georgia	X	X	X	X	X
Germany	X	X	X	X	X
Ghana	X	X	X	X	X
Greece	X	X	X	X	X
Guatemala	X	X	X		
Guinea	X	X	X	X	X
Guyana	X	X	X	X	X
Haiti	X	X	X	X	X
Honduras	X	X			
Hungary	X	X	X	X	X
Iceland	X	X	X	X	X
India	X	X	X	X	X
Indonesia	X	X	X	X	X
Iran	X	X	X	X	X
Iraq	X	X			
Ireland	X	X	X	X	X
Israel	X	X	X	X	X
Italy	X	X	X	X	X
Jamaica	X	X	X	X	X
Japan	X	X	X	X	X
Jordan	X	X	X	X	X
Kazakhstan	X	X	X	X	X
Kenya	X	X	X	X	X
Kiribati	X	X	X		
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.	X	X	X	X	X
Korea, Rep.	X	X	X	X	X
Kuwait	X	X	X	X	X
Kyrgyz Rep.	X	X	X	X	X
Laos	X	X	X	X	X
Latvia	X	X	X	X	X
Lebanon	X	X	X	X	X
Lesotho	X	X			
Liberia	X	X	X		
Libya	X	X	X		

## TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

States which are parties:	1979 Radio Regulations Geneva <sup>1</sup>	1983 Revision Mobile Services	1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit	1987 Revision Mobile Services	1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit
Liechtenstein	X	X	X	X	X
Lithuania	X	X	X	X	X
Luxembourg	X	X	X	X	X
Madagascar	X	X	X	X	X
Malawi	X	X	X	X	X
Malaysia	X	X	X	X	X
Maldives	X	X	X	X	X
Mali	X	X	X	X	X
Malta	X	X	X	X	X
Marshall Is.	X	X	X	X	X
Mauritania	X	X	X	X	X
Mauritius	X	X	X	X	X
Mexico	X	X	X	X	X
Micronesia	X	X	X	X	X
Moldova	X	X	X	X	X
Monaco	X	X	X	X	X
Mongolia	X	X	X	X	X
Morocco	X	X	X	X	X
Mozambique	X	X	X	X	X
Namibia	X	X	X	X	X
Nepal	X	X	X	X	X
Netherlands	X	X	X	X	X
New Zealand	X	X	X	X	X
Nicaragua	X	X	X	X	X
Niger	X	X	X	X	X
Nigeria	X	X	X	X	X
Norway	X	X	X	X	X
Oman	X	X	X	X	X
Pakistan	X	X	X	X	X
Panama	X	X	X	X	X
Papua New Guinea	X	X	X	X	X
Paraguay	X	X	X	X	X
Peru	X	X	X	X	X
Philippines	X	X	X	X	X
Poland	X	X	X	X	X
Portugal	X	X	X	X	X
Qatar	X	X	X	X	X
Romania	X	X	X	X	X
Russian Fed.	X	X	X	X	X
Rwanda	X	X			
San Marino	X	X	X	X	X
Sao Tome & Principe	X	X	X	X	X
Saudi Arabia	X	X	X	X	X
Senegal	X	X	X	X	X
Seychelles	X	X	X	X	X
Sierra Leone	X	X			
Singapore	X	X	X	X	X
Slovak Rep.	X	X	X	X	X
Slovenia	X	X	X	X	X
Solomon Is.	X	X	X		
Somalia	X				
South Africa	X	X	X	X	X

## TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

States which are parties:	1979 Radio Regulations Geneva <sup>1</sup>	1983 Revision Mobile Services	1985 Revision Geostationary Orbit	1987 Revision Mobile Services	1988 Revision Geostationary Orbit
Spain	X	X	X	X	X
Sri Lanka	X	X	X	X	X
St. Lucia	X	X	X	X	X
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	X	X	X	X	X
Sudan	X	X	X	X	X
Suriname	X	X	X	X	X
Swaziland	X	X	X	X	X
Sweden	X	X	X	X	X
Switzerland	X	X	X	X	X
Syria	X	X	X	X	X
Tajikistan	X	X	X	X	X
Tanzania	X	X	X	X	X
Thailand	X	X	X	X	X
Togo	X	X	X	X	X
Tonga	X	X	X	X	X
Trinidad & Tobago	X	X	X	X	X
Tunisia	X	X	X	X	X
Turkey	X	X			
Turkmenistan	X	X	X	X	X
Tuvalu	X	X	X	X	X
Uganda	X	X	X	X	X
Ukraine	X	X	X	X	X
United Arab Emirates	X	X	X	X	X
United Kingdom	X	X	X	X	X
United States	X	X	X	X	X
Uruguay	X	X	X	X	X
Uzbekistan	X	X	X	X	X
Vanuatu	X	X	X	X	X
Vatican City	X	X	X	X	X
Venezuela	X	X	X	X	X
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.	X	X	X	X	X
Western Samoa	X	X	X	X	X
Yemen (Sanaa) <sup>2</sup>	X	X	X	X	X
Yugoslavia	X	X	X	X	X
Zambia	X	X	X	X	X
Zimbabwe	X	X	X	X	X

### NOTES to chart:

<sup>1</sup> The 1979 Radio Regulations abrogate and replace the Radio Regulations adopted at Geneva December 21, 1959 (12 UST 2377; TIAS 4893) and partial revisions thereto: November 8, 1963 (15 UST 887; TIAS 5603); April 29, 1966 (18 UST 2091; TIAS 6332); November 3, 1967 (19 UST 6717; TIAS 6590); July 17, 1971 (23 UST 1527; TIAS 7435); June 8, 1974 (28 UST 3909); and March 5, 1978 (32 UST 3821; TIAS 9920), as between parties to the later Regulations. The 1959 Radio Regulations were considered as annexed to the international telecommunication conventions of 1965 (Montreux) and 1973 (Malaga-Torremolinos) and as such binding upon parties to those conventions (see Notes to the international telecommunication convention 1982 (Nairobi) below.) The Taiwan authorities also adhered to the 1959 Radio Regulations and the 1963, 1966 and 1967 revisions thereto (see Note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section).

<sup>2</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

## TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

International telecommunication convention, with annexes and protocols. Done at Nairobi November 6, 1982;<sup>1</sup> entered into force January 1, 1984; definitively for the United States January 10, 1986.\*

TIAS

States which are parties:

Afghanistan<sup>2</sup>

Albania<sup>2</sup>

Angola

Azerbaijan

Barbados

Brazil

Burma

Burundi

Cape Verde

Chile<sup>2</sup>

Comoros

Congo, Dem. Rep.

El Salvador

Equatorial Guinea

Fiji

Gabon

Gambia, The

Ghana

Greece<sup>2</sup>

Guatemala

Honduras

Iraq

Jamaica

Kiribati

Lebanon

Lesotho

Liberia

Libya

Lithuania

Malawi

Mauritania

Niger

Nigeria

Panama

Qatar<sup>2</sup>

Rwanda

Sierra Leone

Solomon Is.<sup>2</sup>

Somalia

Swaziland<sup>2</sup>

Tanzania

Turkey

Uruguay<sup>2</sup>

Vanuatu

Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>3</sup>

NOTES:

\*The 1982 convention has been abrogated and replaced in relations between contracting parties by the Constitution and Convention of the International Telecommunication Union adopted at Geneva December 22, 1992 (see below). Only those states parties to the 1982 convention that are not parties to the 1992 Constitution and Convention are listed here.

<sup>1</sup>The 1982 international telecommunications convention replaced the Malaga-Torremolinos convention of October 25, 1973 (28 UST 2495; TIAS 8572), as between contracting parties to the later convention. Costa Rica, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Nauru, and Yugoslavia (see note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section) are parties to the 1973 convention but not parties to the later conventions. The Dominican Republic is a party to the Montreux convention of November 12, 1965 (18 USC 575; TIAS 6267) but not a party to later conventions.

<sup>2</sup>With reservation(s)/declaration(s).

<sup>3</sup>See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

Regional agreement for the medium frequency broadcasting service in Region 2, with annexes and final protocol. Done at Rio de Janeiro December 19, 1981; entered into force July 1, 1983; for the United States April 6, 1993.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>

Brazil

Canada

Denmark

France

Netherlands<sup>2</sup>

Suriname

United States

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>With statement(s).

<sup>2</sup>For the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

Regional agreement for the use of the band 1605–1705kHz in Region 2, with annexes and final protocol. Done at Rio de Janeiro June 8, 1988; entered into force July 1, 1990; for the United States April 6, 1993.

TIAS

States which are parties:

Canada

Denmark

France

Netherlands<sup>1</sup>

United States<sup>2</sup>

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>For the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>2</sup>With declarations.

International telecommunications regulations [telegraph and telephone], with appendices and final protocol. Done at Melbourne December 9, 1988; entered into force July 1, 1990; definitively for the United States April 6, 1993.\*

TIAS

NOTE:

\*Ratification of or accession to the Constitution and Convention of the International Telecommunication Union adopted at Geneva December 22, 1992 (see article 54 of the Constitution), and predecessor international telecommunication conventions (Nairobi, 1982; Malaga-Torremolinos, 1973) typically involves acceptance of the telegraph and telephone regulations which are considered annexed thereto. The 1988 regulations replace the 1973 regulations (28 UST 3293; TIAS 8586) as between the contracting parties. The 1958 regulations (10 UST 2423; TIAS 4390) remain in force as between the contracting parties and the Dominican Republic. The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to the 1958 regulations (see note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section).

Constitution and Convention of the International Telecommunication Union, with annexes. Done at Geneva December 22, 1992; entered into force July 1, 1994; definitively for the United States October 26, 1997.\*

TIAS

States which are parties:

Albania

Algeria<sup>1</sup>

Andorra

Argentina<sup>1</sup>

Armenia

Australia<sup>1</sup>

Austria<sup>1</sup>

Azerbaijan

Bahamas

Bahrain

Bangladesh

Barbados

Belarus<sup>1</sup>

Belgium

Belize

Benin

Bhutan

Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Botswana

Brazil

Brunei

Bulgaria

Burkina Faso

Burma

Burundi

Cambodia

Cameroon

Canada<sup>1</sup>

Cape Verde

Central African Rep.

Chad<sup>1</sup>

China<sup>1 2</sup>

Colombia<sup>1</sup>

Comoros

Congo

Cote d'Ivoire

Croatia

Cuba

Cyprus

Czech Rep.

Denmark

Djibouti

Dominica

Ecuador

Egypt

El Salvador

Eritrea

Estonia

## TELECOMMUNICATION (Cont'd)

Ethiopia  
Fiji  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Ghana  
Georgia  
Germany  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guyana  
Guinea  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India<sup>1</sup>  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Iran  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy<sup>1</sup>  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liechtenstein<sup>1</sup>  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta<sup>1</sup>  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia<sup>1</sup>  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru<sup>1</sup>

Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
Qatar  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
San Marino  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia<sup>1</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
South Africa  
Spain<sup>1</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland<sup>1</sup>  
Syria  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Vatican City<sup>1</sup>  
Venezuela<sup>1</sup>  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

Amendment:  
October 14, 1994.

### NOTES:

\* The 1992 Constitution and Convention replace the international telecommunication convention adopted at Nairobi November 6, 1982, as between contracting parties to the Constitution and Convention. For the position of states which have signed but not ratified the Constitution and Convention, see article 52 of the Constitution. The following states parties to the Nairobi Convention have neither signed nor acceded to the 1992 Constitution and Convention: Antigua & Barbuda, Equatorial Guinea, Iraq, Kiribati, Libya, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Solomon Is. and Somalia.

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s)/statement(s).

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

## TERRORISM

Convention to prevent and punish the acts of terrorism taking the form of crimes against persons and related extortion that are of international significance. Done at Washington February 2, 1971; entered into force October 16, 1973, for the United States October 20, 1976. 27 UST 3949; TIAS 8413.

States which are parties:

Brazil  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Dominican Rep.  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama  
Peru  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela

Convention on the prevention and punishment of crimes against internationally protected persons, including diplomatic agents. Done at New York December 14, 1973; entered into force February 20, 1977.

28 UST 1975; TIAS 8532; 1035 UNTS 167.

States which are parties:

Albania  
Algeria  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
Belize  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Burundi<sup>1</sup>  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China<sup>1,2</sup>  
Colombia<sup>1</sup>  
Congo, Dem. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>3</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
Estonia  
Finland<sup>1</sup>  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
Gabon

**TERRORISM (Cont'd)**

German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,4</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4,5</sup>  
 Ghana<sup>1</sup>  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Haiti  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India<sup>1</sup>  
 Iran  
 Iraq<sup>1</sup>  
 Israel<sup>1,5</sup>  
 Italy<sup>5</sup>  
 Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Kiribati<sup>6</sup>  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Liberia  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Malawi<sup>1</sup>  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia<sup>1</sup>  
 Morocco  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>7</sup>  
 Nicaragua  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan<sup>1</sup>  
 Palau  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru<sup>1</sup>  
 Philippines  
 Poland<sup>5</sup>  
 Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
 Qatar  
 Romania<sup>1</sup>  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Seychelles  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Tajikistan  
 Togo

Tonga  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
 Tunisia<sup>1</sup>  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,8</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>5,9</sup>  
 United States  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vietnam  
 Yemen (Aden)<sup>10</sup>  
 Yugoslavia<sup>11</sup>

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation.
- <sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
- <sup>3</sup> Applicable to Faroe Is. and Greenland.
- <sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
- <sup>5</sup> With statement.
- <sup>6</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.
- <sup>7</sup> Applicable to Cook Is. and Niue.
- <sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.
- <sup>9</sup> Extended to Bailiwick of Jersey, Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, Bermuda, British Indian Ocean Territory, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and Dependencies, Gibraltar, Montserrat, the Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and Dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is., United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia in the Island of Cyprus.
- <sup>10</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
- <sup>11</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention against the taking of hostages. Done at New York December 17, 1979; entered into force June 3, 1983; for the United States January 6, 1985.

TIAS 11081.

States which are parties:

Albania  
 Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahamas, The  
 Barbados  
 Belarus<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Bhutan  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Brunei  
 Bulgaria  
 Cameroon<sup>1,2</sup>  
 Canada  
 Cape Verde  
 Chile<sup>2</sup>  
 China<sup>1,3</sup>  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Cuba

Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Dominica  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador<sup>1</sup>  
 Estonia  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,2,4</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India<sup>1</sup>  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya<sup>1</sup>  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Kuwait  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon<sup>2</sup>  
 Lesotho  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Malawi  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>1,2,5</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>6</sup>  
 Norway  
 Oman  
 Pakistan  
 Palau  
 Panama  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Rwanda  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
 Slovenia  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sudan  
 Suriname  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Tajikistan

**TERRORISM (Cont'd)**

Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine<sup>1,2</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,2,7</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>8</sup>  
United States  
Uzbekistan  
Venezuela<sup>2</sup>  
Yemen  
Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.<sup>2</sup> With declaration.<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.<sup>5</sup> Applicable to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.<sup>6</sup> Applicable to Cook Is. and Niue.<sup>7</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.<sup>8</sup> Applicable to territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention for the suppression of terrorist bombings. Adopted at New York December 15, 1997; entered into force May 23, 2001; for the United States July 26, 2002.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Albania  
Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belize  
Bolivia  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burma<sup>1</sup>  
Canada<sup>2</sup>  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba<sup>1,2</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Estonia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
France  
Ghana  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Hungary  
Iceland

India<sup>1</sup>  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Peru  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
San Marino  
Slovak Rep.  
Spain<sup>2</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan<sup>2</sup>  
Sweden  
Tajikistan  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>1,3</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Yemen

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).<sup>2</sup> With declarations(s).<sup>3</sup> With understandings(s).

International convention for the suppression of the financing of terrorism, with annex. Done at New York December 9, 1999; entered into force April 10, 2002; for the United States July 26, 2002.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Albania  
Algeria<sup>1</sup>  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Barbados  
Bolivia  
Botswana  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Chile  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba<sup>1</sup>  
Cyprus

Denmark  
Estonia<sup>2</sup>  
Finland  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Georgia  
Ghana  
Grenada  
Guatemala<sup>2</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Japan  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Libya  
Mali  
Malta  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Palau  
Panama  
Peru  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1,2</sup>  
Samoa  
San Marino  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sweden  
Tonga  
Turkey<sup>2</sup>  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>1,3</sup>  
Uzbekistan  
Vietnam  
Yugoslavia

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).<sup>2</sup> With declarations(s).<sup>3</sup> With understandings(s).**TEXTILES**

(See under TRADE AND COMMERCE)

**TIMBER**

International tropical timber agreement, 1994, with annexes. Done at Geneva January 26, 1994; entered into force provisionally, January 1, 1997.

## TIAS

## Parties:

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium\*  
Bolivia

**TIMBER (Cont'd)**

Brazil  
 Burma  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon \*  
 Canada  
 Central African Rep.\*  
 China  
 Colombia  
 Congo \*  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.\*  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Denmark  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 European Community<sup>1</sup> \*  
 Fiji \*  
 Finland \*  
 France \*  
 Gabon \*  
 Germany \*  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 Guyana  
 Honduras \*  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Korea  
 Liberia  
 Luxembourg \*  
 Malaysia  
 Nepal \*  
 Netherlands<sup>2</sup> \*  
 New Zealand  
 Nigeria  
 Norway  
 Panama  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Peru  
 Philippines \*  
 Portugal  
 Spain  
 Suriname  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Thailand  
 Togo  
 Trinidad & Tobago  
 United Kingdom \*  
 United States  
 Vanuatu  
 Venezuela

## NOTES:

\* Provisional application.

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).<sup>2</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.**TONNAGE  
MEASUREMENT****(See under MARITIME  
MATTERS)****TORTURE**

Convention against torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment. Done at New York December 10, 1984; entered into force June 26, 1987; for the United States November 20, 1994.

## TIAS

Parties:

Afghanistan<sup>1</sup>  
 Albania  
 Algeria<sup>2</sup>  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Armenia  
 Australia<sup>2</sup>  
 Austria<sup>2</sup>  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bahrain<sup>1</sup>  
 Bangladesh<sup>2</sup>  
 Belarus<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Botswana  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Cameroon  
 Canada<sup>2</sup>  
 Cape Verde  
 Chad  
 Chile<sup>1</sup>  
 China<sup>1 3</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia<sup>2</sup>  
 Cuba<sup>2</sup>  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Denmark<sup>2</sup>  
 Ecuador<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Estonia  
 Ethiopia  
 Finland<sup>2</sup>  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Gabon  
 Georgia  
 Germany  
 Ghana  
 Greece<sup>2</sup>  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guyana  
 Holy See  
 Honduras  
 Hungary  
 Iceland<sup>2</sup>  
 Indonesia<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Ireland  
 Israel<sup>1</sup>  
 Italy<sup>2</sup>  
 Japan

Jordan  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Kuwait<sup>1</sup>  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Latvia  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho  
 Libya  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg<sup>2</sup>  
 Malawi  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco<sup>1</sup>  
 Mozambique  
 Namibia  
 Nepal  
 Netherlands<sup>2 4</sup>  
 New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
 Niger  
 Nigeria  
 Norway<sup>2</sup>  
 Panama<sup>1</sup>  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Philippines  
 Poland<sup>2</sup>  
 Portugal<sup>2</sup>  
 Qatar  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Senegal<sup>2</sup>  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 Slovak Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
 Slovenia<sup>2</sup>  
 Somalia  
 South Africa  
 Spain<sup>2</sup>  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland<sup>2</sup>  
 Tajikistan  
 Togo<sup>2</sup>  
 Tunisia<sup>2</sup>  
 Turkey<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine<sup>1 2</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>2 5</sup>  
 United States<sup>1 2</sup>  
 Uruguay<sup>2</sup>  
 Uzbekistan  
 Venezuela<sup>2</sup>  
 Yemen  
 Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>  
 Zambia

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. With declaration. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

**TORTURE (Cont'd)**

<sup>4</sup>For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>5</sup>Applicable to Anguilla, Bailiwicks of Guernsey and Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Isle of Man, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena, St. Helena dependencies and Turks & Caicos Is.

<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**TRADE AND COMMERCE**

(See also CUSTOMS)

Agreement to refrain from invoking the obligations of most-favored-nation clause in respect of certain multilateral economic conventions. Done at the Pan American Union, Washington, July 15, 1934; entered into force September 12, 1935.

49 Stat. 3260; TS 898; 3 Bevans 252; 165 LNTS 9.

States which are parties:

Cuba  
Greece  
United States

Convention on transit trade of land-locked states. Done at New York July 8, 1965; entered into force June 9, 1967; for the United States November 28, 1968.

19 UST 7383; TIAS 6592; 597 UNTS 42.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium<sup>1</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burundi  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
Croatia  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Finland  
Georgia  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Laos  
Lesotho  
Malawi  
Mali  
Mongolia  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
San Marino  
Senegal  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Turkey  
Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,3</sup>

United States  
Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>  
Zambia

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>With reservation.

<sup>2</sup>Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>3</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention on the limitation period in the international sale of goods. Done at New York June 12, 1974; entered into force August 1, 1988; for the United States December 1, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Argentina  
Belarus  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Burundi  
Cuba  
Czech Rep.  
Dominican Rep.  
Egypt  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Ghana  
Guinea  
Hungary  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Norway<sup>2</sup>  
Poland  
Romania  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United States<sup>3</sup>  
Uruguay  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>  
Zambia

Amendment:

April 11, 1980.

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup>With reservation(s).

<sup>3</sup>With declaration(s).

<sup>4</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement on trade in civil aircraft. Done at Geneva April 12, 1979; entered into force January 1, 1980.

31 UST 619; TIAS 9620; 1186 UNTS 170.

Parties:

Austria  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt  
European Economic Community  
France  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Greece  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan

Luxembourg  
Macao  
Netherlands<sup>3</sup>  
Norway  
Portugal  
Romania  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom<sup>4</sup>  
United States

Amendments (annex):

January 17, 1983 (TIAS 10673).

January 27, 1984 (TIAS 11531).

January 1, 1985 (TIAS 11531).

December 2, 1986.

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup>Not applicable to Faroe Is.

<sup>2</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup>Applicable provisionally to the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba pending approval.

<sup>4</sup>Accepted in respect of the territories for which it has international responsibility except for: Bermuda, Cayman Is., Montserrat, Sovereign Base Areas Cyprus, British Virgin Is.

United Nations convention on contracts for the international sale of goods. Done at Vienna April 11, 1980; entered into force January 1, 1988.

TIAS ; 1489 UNTS 3.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Austria  
Belarus<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Burundi  
Canada<sup>3</sup>  
Chile<sup>1</sup>  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
Estonia<sup>1</sup>  
Finland<sup>4</sup>  
France  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1,5</sup>  
Greece  
Guinea  
Honduras  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Iceland  
Iraq  
Israel  
Italy  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Mauritania  
Mexico

## TRADE AND COMMERCE (Cont'd)

Moldova  
 Mongolia  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Norway<sup>4</sup>  
 Peru  
 Poland  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 Singapore  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 Spain  
 Sweden<sup>4</sup>  
 Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,6</sup>  
 United States<sup>1</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Yugoslavia<sup>7</sup>  
 Zambia

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>2</sup> Applicable to "all Australian States and mainland territories and to all external territories except the territories of Christmas Island, the Cocos (Keeling) Islands and the Ashmore and Cartier Islands."

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Alberta, British Columbia, Prince Edward Island, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Newfoundland, Northwest Territories, Quebec, Saskatchewan, and the Territory of the Yukon.

<sup>4</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

North American free trade agreement, with notes and annexes. Signed at Washington, Ottawa and Mexico December 8, 11, 14 and 17, 1992; entered into force January 1, 1994.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada  
 Mexico  
 United States<sup>1</sup>

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup> Extended to Puerto Rico.

Marrakesh agreement establishing the World Trade Organization (WTO). Done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994; entered into force January 1, 1995.

TIAS

Related agreements were done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994; entered into force January 1, 1995:

General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.  
 TIAS

Agreement on agriculture.  
 TIAS

Agreement on the application of sanitary and phytosanitary measures.  
 TIAS

Agreement on textiles and clothing.  
 TIAS

Agreement on technical barriers to trade.  
 TIAS

Agreement on trade-related investment measures.  
 TIAS

Agreement on implementation of Article VI (Anti-Dumping) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.  
 TIAS

Agreement on implementation of Article VII (Customs Valuation) of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994.  
 TIAS

Agreement on preshipment inspection.  
 TIAS

Agreement on rules of origin.  
 TIAS

Agreement on import licensing procedures.  
 TIAS

Agreement on subsidies and countervailing measures.  
 TIAS

Agreement on safeguards.  
 TIAS

General agreement on trade in services and annexes.  
 TIAS

Agreement on trade-related aspects of intellectual property rights.  
 TIAS

Understanding on rules and procedures governing the settlement of disputes.  
 TIAS

Trade policy review mechanism.

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
 Angola  
 Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bahrain  
 Bangladesh  
 Barbados  
 Belgium  
 Belize  
 Benin  
 Bolivia  
 Botswana

Brazil  
 Brunei  
 Bulgaria  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burma  
 Burundi  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Central African Rep.  
 Chad  
 Chile  
 China  
 China (Taiwan)<sup>1</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Congo  
 Congo, Dem. Rep.  
 Costa Rica  
 Cote d'Ivoire  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark  
 Djibouti  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 El Salvador  
 Estonia  
 European Community  
 Fiji  
 Finland  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Gambia  
 Georgia  
 Germany  
 Ghana  
 Greece  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guinea  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 Hong Kong  
 Hungary  
 Iceland  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica  
 Japan  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Kuwait  
 Kyrgyz Rep.  
 Latvia  
 Lesotho  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania  
 Luxembourg  
 Macao  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Malaysia  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritania

## TRADE AND COMMERCE (Cont'd)

Mauritius  
Mexico  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Netherlands<sup>2</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Uganda  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup>Separate customs territory of "Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu".

<sup>2</sup>For the Kingdom in Europe and for the Netherlands Antilles.

Agreement on government procurement. Done at Marrakesh April 15, 1994; entered into force January 1, 1996.

TIAS  
Parties:  
Austria  
Belgium

Canada  
Denmark  
European Community  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Hong Kong  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Japan  
Korea  
Liechtenstein  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands<sup>1</sup>  
Norway  
Portugal  
Singapore  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom  
United States

### NOTE:

<sup>1</sup>For the Kingdom in Europe and for Aruba.

## TRADE-MARKS

(See INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY)

## TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Agreement for the suppression of the white slave traffic. Signed at Paris May 18, 1904; entered into force July 18, 1905; for the United States June 6, 1908.

35 Stat. 1979; TS 496; 1 Bevans 424; 1 LNTS 83.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
Australia<sup>2</sup>  
Austria  
Bahamas, The  
Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
Belgium  
Belize<sup>1</sup>  
Benin  
Brazil  
Bulgaria  
Burma<sup>1</sup>  
Cameroon<sup>3</sup>  
Canada  
Central African Rep.  
Chile<sup>3</sup>  
China<sup>3,4</sup>  
Colombia  
Congo  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Cuba<sup>3</sup>  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
Egypt<sup>3</sup>  
Estonia<sup>3</sup>

Fiji  
Finland<sup>3</sup>  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Gambia, The<sup>1</sup>  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Grenada<sup>1,3</sup>  
Guyana<sup>1</sup>  
Hong Kong<sup>6</sup>  
Hungary  
Iceland<sup>7</sup>  
India<sup>3</sup>  
Iran<sup>3</sup>  
Iraq<sup>3</sup>  
Ireland<sup>3</sup>  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan<sup>3</sup>  
Kiribati<sup>1</sup>  
Lebanon  
Lithuania<sup>3</sup>  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco<sup>3</sup>  
Morocco  
Nauru<sup>1,3</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>8</sup>  
New Zealand  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea<sup>1,3</sup>  
Poland  
Portugal  
Russian Fed.  
St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
St. Lucia<sup>1,3</sup>  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1,3</sup>  
Senegal  
Seychelles<sup>1</sup>  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
South Africa<sup>3</sup>  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan<sup>3</sup>  
Suriname<sup>1</sup>  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tanzania<sup>1,3</sup>  
Thailand<sup>3</sup>  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia<sup>3</sup>  
Turkey<sup>3</sup>  
Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay<sup>3</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>3,11</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe<sup>1</sup>

## TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN (Cont'd)

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>2</sup> Extended to all territories.

<sup>3</sup> Party by virtue of ratification or adherence to the international convention for the suppression of the white slave traffic signed at Paris May 4, 1910 (3 LNTS 278) or the protocol of May 4, 1949 (2 UST 1997; TIAS 2332).

<sup>4</sup> Pre 1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

<sup>7</sup> Included in ratification by Denmark.

<sup>8</sup> Extended to Curacao.

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Falkland Is., Gibraltar, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey, Montserrat, and St. Helena.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Protocol amending the international agreement for the suppression of the white slave traffic, signed at Paris May 18, 1904, and the international convention for the suppression of the white slave traffic, signed at Paris May 4, 1910. Done at Lake Success May 4, 1949; entered into force May 4, 1949; for the United States August 14, 1950; annex amending 1904 agreement entered into force June 21, 1951. 2 UST 1997; TIAS 2332; 92 UNTS 19.

## TRANSPORTATION— FOODSTUFFS

Agreement on the international carriage of perishable foodstuffs and on the special equipment to be used for such carriage (ATP), with annexes. Done at Geneva September 1, 1970; entered into force November 21, 1976; for the United States January 20, 1984.

TIAS ; 1028 UNTS 121.

States which are parties:

Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Belgium  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Croatia  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>2</sup>  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,3</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>3</sup>  
Greece  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Ireland

Italy<sup>2</sup>  
Kazakhstan  
Luxembourg  
Morocco  
Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
Norway  
Poland<sup>1</sup>  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Fed.  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,5</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States<sup>2</sup>  
Uzbekistan  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>2</sup> Objections by France and Italy to the United States declaration under Article 10 have not been accepted by the United States.

<sup>3</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe.

<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Liberia  
Luxembourg  
Mexico  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Saudi Arabia  
Slovak Rep.  
South Africa  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Turkey  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>4</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>5</sup>

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Pre 1949 agreement, applicable only to Taiwan.

<sup>2</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## TRIESTE

(See under PEACE TREATIES)

## UNITED NATIONS

Declaration by United Nations. Signed at Washington January 1, 1942; entered into force January 1, 1942.

55 Stat. 1600; EAS 236; 3 Bevans 697.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
Chile  
China<sup>1</sup>  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
France  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Haiti  
Honduras  
India  
Iran  
Iraq  
Lebanon

Charter of the United Nations with the Statute of the International Court of Justice annexed thereto.<sup>1</sup> Signed at San Francisco June 26, 1945; entered into force October 24, 1945. 59 Stat. 1031; TS 993; 3 Bevans 1153.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde

## UNITED NATIONS (Cont'd)

Central African Rep.	Luxembourg	United Arab Emirates
Chad	Madagascar	United Kingdom
Chile	Malawi	United States
China <sup>2</sup>	Malaysia	Uruguay
Colombia	Maldives	Uzbekistan
Comoros	Mali	Vanuatu
Congo	Malta	Venezuela
Congo, Dem. Rep.	Marshall Is.	Vietnam, Socialist Rep.
Costa Rica	Mauritania	Western Samoa
Cote d'Ivoire	Mauritius	Yemen (Aden) <sup>5</sup>
Croatia	Mexico	Yemen (Sanaa) <sup>5</sup>
Cuba	Micronesia	Yugoslavia <sup>6</sup>
Cyprus	Moldova	Zambia
Czech Rep.	Monaco	Zimbabwe
Denmark	Mongolia	
Djibouti	Morocco	Amendments:
Dominica	Mozambique	December 17, 1963 (16 UST 1134; TIAS 5857; 557 UNTS 143).
Dominican Rep.	Namibia	December 20, 1965 (19 UST 5450; TIAS 6529).
East Timor	Nauru	December 20, 1971 (24 UST 2225; TIAS 7739).
Ecuador	Nepal	
Egypt	Netherlands	NOTES:
El Salvador	New Zealand	<sup>1</sup> For parties to the Statute, not parties to the Charter, see INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE.
Equatorial Guinea	Nicaragua	<sup>2</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.
Eritrea	Niger	<sup>3</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.
Estonia	Nigeria	<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.
Ethiopia <sup>3</sup>	Norway	<sup>5</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.
Fiji	Oman	<sup>6</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.
Finland	Pakistan	
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	Palau	Convention on the privileges and immunities of the United Nations. Done at New York February 13, 1946, entered into force September 17, 1946; for the United States April 29, 1970. 21 UST 1418; TIAS 6900; 1 UNTS 16.
France	Panama	States which are parties:
Gabon	Papua New Guinea	Afghanistan
Gambia, The	Paraguay	Albania <sup>1</sup>
Georgia	Peru	Algeria <sup>1</sup>
German Dem. Rep. <sup>4</sup>	Philippines	Angola
Germany, Fed. Rep. <sup>4</sup>	Poland	Antigua & Barbuda
Ghana	Portugal	Argentina
Greece	Qatar	Australia
Grenada	Romania	Austria
Guatemala	Russian Fed.	Azerbaijan
Guinea	Rwanda	Bahamas, The
Guinea-Bissau	St. Kitts & Nevis	Bahrain <sup>2</sup>
Guyana	St. Lucia	Bangladesh
Haiti	St. Vincent & the Grenadines	Barbados
Honduras	San Marino	Belarus <sup>1</sup>
Hungary	Sao Tome & Principe	Belgium
Iceland	Saudi Arabia	Bolivia
India	Senegal	Bosnia-Herzegovina
Indonesia	Seychelles	Brazil
Iran	Sierra Leone	Bulgaria <sup>1</sup>
Iraq	Singapore	Burkina Faso
Ireland	Slovak Rep.	Burma
Israel	Slovenia	Burundi
Italy	Solomon Is.	Cambodia
Jamaica	Somalia	Cameroon
Japan	South Africa	Canada <sup>1</sup>
Jordan	Spain	Central African Rep.
Kazakhstan	Sri Lanka	Chile
Kenya	Sudan	China <sup>1 3</sup>
Kiribati	Suriname	Colombia
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.	Swaziland	Congo
Korea, Rep.	Sweden	Congo, Dem. Rep.
Kuwait	Switzerland	
Kyrgyz Rep.	Syrian Arab Rep.	
Laos	Tajikistan	
Latvia	Tanzania	
Lebanon	Thailand	
Lesotho	Togo	
Liberia	Tonga	
Libya	Trinidad & Tobago	
Liechtenstein	Tunisia	
Lithuania	Turkey	
	Turkmenistan	
	Tuvalu	
	Uganda	
	Ukraine	

**UNITED NATIONS (Cont'd)**

Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>1,5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary<sup>1</sup>  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia<sup>1</sup>  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos<sup>1</sup>  
Latvia  
Lebanon<sup>6</sup>  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania<sup>1</sup>  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritius  
Mexico<sup>1</sup>  
Moldova  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Nepal<sup>1</sup>  
Netherlands<sup>7</sup>  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>1</sup>  
Romania<sup>1</sup>  
Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Lucia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Slovenia  
Somalia  
South Africa  
Spain  
Sudan  
Sweden  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
Uganda  
Ukraine<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1,8</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>6</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Vietnam<sup>1</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>9</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>10</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**NOTES:**

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).  
<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup> With statement.  
<sup>7</sup> Applicable to Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>8</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>9</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.  
<sup>10</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**VIET-NAM**

Act of the International Conference on Viet-Nam. Done at Paris March 2, 1973; entered into force March 2, 1973.  
24 UST 485; TIAS 7568; 935 UNTS 405.

Parties:  
Canada  
China, People's Rep.  
France  
Hungary  
Indonesia  
Poland  
Provisional Revolutionary Government of Rep. of South Viet-Nam<sup>1</sup>  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>2</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Viet-Nam, Dem. Rep.<sup>1</sup>  
Viet-Nam, Rep.<sup>1</sup>

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> See Vietnam footnote under AGRICULTURE: agreement of January 25, 1924 (26 UST 1840; TIAS 8141; 57 LNTS 135).

<sup>2</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

**WAR**

(See **RED CROSS CONVENTIONS; RENUNCIATION OF WAR; RULES OF WARFARE; WORLD WAR II**)

**WAR CRIMINALS**

(See also **RULES OF WARFARE**)

Agreement for the prosecution and punishment of the major war criminals of the European Axis. Signed at London August 8, 1945; entered into force August 8, 1945.  
59 Stat. 1544; EAS 472; 3 Bevans 1238; 82 UNTS 279.

States which are parties:

Australia  
Belgium  
Czechoslovakia<sup>1</sup>  
Denmark  
Ethiopia<sup>2</sup>  
France  
Greece  
Haiti  
Honduras  
India  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Panama  
Paraguay  
Poland  
Slovak Rep.  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>3</sup>  
United Kingdom  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>4</sup>

**WAR CRIMINALS (Cont'd)**

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.

<sup>2</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>3</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Charter of the International Military Tribunal for the Far East. Dated at Tokyo January 19, 1946, amended April 26, 1946. TIAS 1589; 4 Bevans 20.

**WARSAW CONVENTION**

(See under AVIATION)

**WEAPONS**

Convention on prohibitions or restrictions on the use of certain conventional weapons which may be deemed to be excessively injurious or to have indiscriminate effects. Adopted at Geneva October 10, 1980; entered into force December 2, 1983; for the United States September 24, 1995.

TIAS

Protocol on non-detectable fragments (Protocol I). Adopted at Geneva October 10, 1980; entered into force December 2, 1983; for the United States September 24, 1995.

TIAS

Protocol on prohibitions or restrictions on the use of mines, booby-traps and other devices (Protocol II). Adopted at Geneva October 10, 1980; entered into force December 2, 1983; for the United States September 24, 1995.<sup>1</sup>

TIAS

Parties:

Albania  
 Argentina  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Bangladesh  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Benin<sup>2</sup>  
 Bolivia  
 Bosnia-Herzegovina  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Cambodia  
 Canada<sup>3</sup>  
 Cape Verde  
 China<sup>4</sup>  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Croatia  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czech Rep.  
 Denmark

Djibouti  
 Ecuador  
 El Salvador  
 Estonia<sup>2</sup>  
 Finland  
 Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
 France  
 Georgia  
 Germany  
 Greece  
 Guatemala  
 Holy See  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Jordan<sup>2</sup>  
 Korea<sup>2</sup>  
 Laos  
 Latvia  
 Lesotho  
 Liechtenstein  
 Lithuania<sup>2</sup>  
 Luxembourg  
 Maldives<sup>2</sup>  
 Mali  
 Malta  
 Mauritius  
 Mexico  
 Moldova  
 Monaco<sup>2</sup>  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco<sup>5</sup>  
 Nauru  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua<sup>2</sup>  
 Niger  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Panama  
 Peru<sup>2</sup>  
 Philippines  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Russian Fed.  
 Senegal<sup>6</sup>  
 Seychelles  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Slovenia  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Tajikistan  
 Togo  
 Tunisia  
 Uganda  
 Ukraine  
 United Kingdom<sup>3</sup>  
 United States<sup>3 7 8</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Uzbekistan  
 Yugoslavia<sup>9</sup>

Amendment:  
 May 3, 1996.

## NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Protocols III and IV are not yet in force for the United States.

<sup>2</sup> Not a party to Protocol II.

<sup>3</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>4</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> Not a party to Protocol I.

<sup>6</sup> Not a party to Protocols I and II.

<sup>7</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>8</sup> With understanding(s).

<sup>9</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**WEIGHTS AND MEASURES**

Convention concerning the creation of an international office of weights and measures, regulations and transient provisions. Signed at Paris May 20, 1875; entered into force January 1, 1876; for the United States August 2, 1878. 20 Stat. 709; TS 378; 1 Bevans 39.

Convention amending the convention relating to weights and measures. Dated at Sevres October 6, 1921; entered into force June 23, 1922; for the United States October 24, 1923. 43 Stat. 1686; TS 673; 2 Bevans 323; 17 LNTS 45.

States which are parties:

Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Belgium  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 Chile<sup>1</sup>  
 China<sup>2</sup>  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Dominican Rep.  
 Egypt  
 Finland  
 France  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Iran  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Mexico  
 Netherlands  
 Norway  
 Pakistan  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Slovak Rep.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Thailand  
 Turkey  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>5</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States  
 Uruguay

## WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (Cont'd)

Venezuela  
Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup>Not a party to the 1921 convention.  
<sup>2</sup>The Taiwan authorities have also adhered to these conventions. See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in the bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Convention establishing an International Organization of Legal Metrology. Done at Paris October 12, 1955; entered into force May 28, 1958; for the United States October 22, 1972 as amended January 18, 1968.  
 23 UST 4233; TIAS 7533; 560 UNTS 3.

### Parties:

Algeria  
 Arab Organization of Standardization and Metrology<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Belarus  
 Belgium  
 Brazil  
 Bulgaria  
 Cameroon  
 Canada  
 China  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Egypt  
 Ethiopia<sup>3</sup>  
 Finland  
 France<sup>4</sup>  
 German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
 Greece  
 Guinea  
 Hungary  
 India  
 Indonesia  
 Ireland  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
 Japan  
 Jordan<sup>1</sup>  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kenya  
 Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
 Korea, Rep.  
 Lebanon  
 Luxembourg<sup>1</sup>  
 Monaco  
 Morocco  
 Nepal<sup>1</sup>  
 Netherlands  
 New Zealand<sup>1</sup>  
 Norway

Pakistan  
 Poland  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Tanzania  
 Tunisia  
 Turkey<sup>1</sup>  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>7</sup>  
 United States  
 Venezuela  
 Yugoslavia<sup>8</sup>  
 Zambia

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup>Corresponding Member.  
<sup>2</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup>See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup>Extended to the French overseas territories.  
<sup>5</sup>See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>6</sup>See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.  
<sup>7</sup>Extended to the British Virgin Is., Gibraltar, Montserrat, Turks and Caicos Is.  
<sup>8</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## WETLANDS

(See under CONSERVATION)

## WHALING

Convention for the regulation of whaling. Concluded at Geneva September 24, 1931; entered into force January 16, 1935.  
 49 Stat. 3079; TS 880; 3 Bevans 26; 155 LNTS 349.

### States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>  
 Austria  
 Bahamas, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Barbados<sup>1</sup>  
 Belize<sup>1</sup>  
 Brazil  
 Brunei<sup>1</sup>  
 Canada  
 Cyprus<sup>1</sup>  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>2</sup>  
 Denmark, including Greenland  
 Dominica<sup>1</sup>  
 Ecuador  
 Egypt  
 Fiji<sup>1</sup>  
 Finland  
 France  
 Gambia, The<sup>1</sup>  
 Ghana<sup>1</sup>  
 Grenada<sup>1</sup>  
 Guyana<sup>1</sup>

Ireland  
 Italy<sup>3</sup>  
 Jamaica<sup>1</sup>  
 Kiribati<sup>1</sup>  
 Latvia  
 Malaysia<sup>1</sup>  
 Malta<sup>1</sup>  
 Mauritius<sup>1</sup>  
 Mexico  
 Monaco  
 Netherlands<sup>4</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Nicaragua  
 Nigeria<sup>1</sup>  
 Norway  
 Poland  
 St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Lucia<sup>1</sup>  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines<sup>1</sup>  
 Seychelles<sup>1</sup>  
 Sierra Leone<sup>1</sup>  
 Slovak Rep.  
 Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sri Lanka<sup>1</sup>  
 Sudan  
 Suriname<sup>1</sup>  
 Switzerland  
 Tanzania<sup>1</sup>  
 Tonga<sup>1</sup>  
 Trinidad & Tobago<sup>1</sup>  
 Turkey  
 Tuvalu<sup>1</sup>  
 United Kingdom<sup>5</sup>  
 United States  
 Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

### NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup>See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.  
<sup>2</sup>See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>3</sup>With reservation.  
<sup>4</sup>Extended to Curacao.  
<sup>5</sup>Extended to Ascension Is., Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Montserrat, St. Helena, Turks and Caicos Is.  
<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

International convention for the regulation of whaling with schedule of whaling regulations. Signed at Washington December 2, 1946; entered into force November 10, 1948.  
 62 Stat. 1716; TIAS 1849; 4 Bevans 248; 161 UNTS 72.

Protocol to the international convention for the regulation of whaling. Done at Washington November 19, 1956; entered into force May 4, 1959.  
 10 UST 952; TIAS 4228; 338 UNTS 366.

### States which are parties:

Antigua & Barbuda  
 Argentina<sup>1</sup>  
 Australia  
 Austria  
 Benin  
 Brazil  
 Chile<sup>1</sup>  
 China<sup>2,3</sup>  
 Costa Rica

**WHALING (Cont'd)**

Denmark  
 Dominica  
 Finland  
 France  
 Gabon  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>2,4</sup>  
 Grenada  
 Guinea  
 India  
 Ireland  
 Italy  
 Japan  
 Kenya  
 Korea  
 Mexico  
 Monaco  
 Mongolia  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands<sup>5</sup>  
 New Zealand  
 Norway<sup>2</sup>  
 Oman  
 Palau  
 Panama  
 Peru<sup>2</sup>  
 Portugal  
 Russian Fed.  
 St. Kitts & Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent & the Grenadines  
 San Marino  
 Senegal  
 Solomon Is.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Sweden  
 Switzerland  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>6</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States

## Amendments to the Schedule:

June 7, 1949 (1 UST 506; TIAS 2092; 161 UNTS 100).  
 July 21, 1950 (2 UST 11; TIAS 2173; 161 UNTS 108).  
 July 27, 1951 (3 UST 2999; TIAS 2486; 177 UNTS 396).  
 June 6, 1952 (3 UST 5094; TIAS 2699; 181 UNTS 364).  
 June 26, 1953 (4 UST 2179; TIAS 2866; 252 UNTS 316).  
 July 23, 1954 (6 UST 645; TIAS 3198; 252 UNTS 324).  
 July 23, 1955 (7 UST 657; TIAS 3548; 252 UNTS 330).  
 July 20, 1956 (8 UST 69; TIAS 3739; 278 UNTS 278).  
 June 28, 1957 (8 UST 2203; TIAS 3944; 300 UNTS 376).  
 June 27, 1958 (10 UST 330; TIAS 4193; 337 UNTS 408).  
 July 1, 1959 (11 UST 32; TIAS 4404; 361 UNTS 272).  
 June 24, 1960 (13 UST 493; TIAS 5014; 435 UNTS 324).  
 June 23, 1961 (13 UST 497; TIAS 5015; 435 UNTS 328).  
 July 6, 1962 (14 UST 112; TIAS 5277; 495 UNTS 254).

July 5, 1963 (14 UST 1690; TIAS 5472; 495 UNTS 256).  
 June 26, 1964 (15 UST 2547; TIAS 5745; 586 UNTS 248).  
 July 2, 1965 (17 UST 35; TIAS 5953; 586 UNTS 252).  
 July 1, 1966 (17 UST 1640; TIAS 6120; 675 UNTS 384).  
 June 30, 1967 (18 UST 2391; TIAS 6345; 723 UNTS 280).  
 June 28, 1968 (19 UST 6030; TIAS 6562; 723 UNTS 282).  
 June 27, 1969 (20 UST 4063; TIAS 6794).  
 June 26, 1970 (21 UST 2460; TIAS 6985; 772 UNTS 442).  
 June 25, 1971 (23 UST 179; TIAS 7293).  
 June 30, 1972 (23 UST 2820; TIAS 7471).  
 June 29, 1973 (25 UST 2591; TIAS 7936).  
 June 28, 1974 (25 UST 2978; TIAS 7960).  
 June 27, 1975 (27 UST 1885; TIAS 8286).  
 June 25, 1976 (27 UST 4015; TIAS 8422).  
 June 24, 1977 (29 UST 1452; TIAS 8886).  
 December 7, 1977 (29 UST 2874; TIAS 8983).  
 June 30, 1978 (30 UST 1639; TIAS 9271).  
 December 20, 1978 (30 UST 2852; TIAS 9366).  
 July 13, 1979 (31 UST 4815; TIAS 9642).  
 July 26, 1980 (32 UST 4241; TIAS 9946).  
 July 25, 1981.  
 July 24, 1982.  
 July 23, 1983.  
 June 22, 1984.  
 July 19, 1985.  
 June 13, 1986.  
 June 26, 1987 (TIAS 11951).  
 June 3, 1988 (TIAS 11951).  
 June 16, 1989 (TIAS 11951).  
 July 6, 1990 (TIAS 11951).  
 May 31, 1991 (TIAS 11951).  
 July 3, 1992 (TIAS 11951).  
 May 14, 1993.

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>2</sup> With statement.  
<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> Applicable to the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.  
<sup>6</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

**WHEAT****(See also FOOD AID; GRAINS)**

Agricultural commodities agreement for the sale of wheat, with memorandum of understanding. Signed at Dar-es-Salaam February 18 and at Nairobi February 19 and 22 and March 4, 1966; entered into force March 4, 1966. 17 UST 628; TIAS 6010; 578 UNTS 57.  
 Parties:  
 East African Common Services Organization  
 Kenya  
 Tanzania  
 Uganda  
 United States

**WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC  
(See TRAFFIC IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN)****WILDLIFE  
PRESERVATION**

**(See CONSERVATION;  
 FISHERIES; POLAR BEARS;  
 WHALING)**

**WINE**

Agreement for the creation, in Paris of an International Wine Office.<sup>1</sup> Done at Paris November 29, 1924; entered into force October 29, 1927; for the United States July 24, 1984. 80 LNTS 293.

States which are parties:

Algeria  
 Argentina  
 Australia<sup>2</sup>  
 Austria  
 Belgium  
 Bulgaria  
 Chile  
 Cyprus  
 Czechoslovakia<sup>3</sup>  
 Denmark  
 Finland  
 France  
 Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>4</sup>  
 Greece  
 Hungary  
 Israel  
 Italy  
 Luxembourg  
 Moldova  
 Morocco  
 Netherlands  
 Norway  
 Portugal  
 Romania  
 Slovak Rep.  
 South Africa  
 Spain  
 Switzerland  
 Syrian Arab Rep.  
 Tunisia  
 Ukraine  
 Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>5</sup>  
 United Kingdom  
 United States<sup>2</sup>  
 Uruguay  
 Yugoslavia<sup>6</sup>

## NOTES:

- <sup>1</sup> Renamed International Vine and Wine Office in 1958.  
<sup>2</sup> With reservation.  
<sup>3</sup> See note under CZECHOSLOVAKIA in bilateral section.  
<sup>4</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.  
<sup>5</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

**WINE (Cont'd)**

<sup>6</sup>See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

Agreement on mutual acceptance of oenological practices, with annex. Done at Toronto December 18, 2001; entered into force December 1, 2002.

TIAS

Parties:

Canada

United States

**WOMEN—POLITICAL RIGHTS**

(See also NATIONALITY)

Inter-American convention on the granting of political rights to women. Done at Bogota May 2, 1948; entered into force March 17, 1949; for the United States May 24, 1976. 27 UST 3301; TIAS 8365.

States which are parties:

Argentina

Bolivia

Brazil

Canada

Chile

Colombia

Costa Rica

Cuba

Dominica

Dominican Rep.

Ecuador

El Salvador

Guatemala

Haiti

Honduras

Mexico

Nicaragua

Panama

Paraguay

Peru

Suriname

United States

Uruguay

Venezuela

Convention on the political rights of women. Done at New York March 31, 1953; entered into force July 7, 1954; for the United States July 7, 1976.

27 UST 1909; TIAS 8289; 193 UNTS 135.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan

Albania<sup>1 2</sup>

Angola

Antigua & Barbuda<sup>1</sup>

Argentina<sup>1</sup>

Australia<sup>1</sup>

Austria<sup>1</sup>

Bahamas, The

Bangladesh<sup>2</sup>

Barbados

Belarus<sup>1 2</sup>

Belgium

Belize<sup>3</sup>

Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Brazil

Brunei<sup>3</sup>

Bulgaria<sup>2</sup>

Burundi

Canada<sup>1 4</sup>

Central African Rep.

Chile

China (Taiwan)<sup>4 5</sup>

Colombia

Congo

Congo, Dem. Rep.

Costa Rica

Cote d'Ivoire

Croatia

Cuba

Cyprus

Czech Rep.

Denmark<sup>1 4</sup>

Dominica<sup>3</sup>

Dominican Rep.<sup>4</sup>

Ecuador<sup>1</sup>

Egypt

Ethiopia<sup>4 6</sup>

Fiji<sup>1</sup>

Finland<sup>1</sup>

Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

France

Gabon

German Dem. Rep.<sup>1 2 7</sup>

Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>1 7</sup>

Ghana

Greece

Grenada<sup>3</sup>

Guatemala<sup>1</sup>

Guinea

Haiti

Hong Kong<sup>8</sup>

Hungary<sup>2</sup>

Iceland

India<sup>1</sup>

Indonesia<sup>1</sup>

Ireland<sup>1</sup>

Israel<sup>4</sup>

Italy<sup>1</sup>

Jamaica

Japan

Jordan

Kazakhstan

Kiribati<sup>3</sup>

Korea<sup>4</sup>

Kyrgyz Rep.

Laos

Latvia

Lebanon

Lesotho<sup>1</sup>

Libya

Luxembourg

Madagascar

Malawi

Mali

Malta<sup>1</sup>

Mauritania

Mauritius<sup>1</sup>

Mexico

Moldova

Mongolia<sup>2</sup>

Morocco<sup>1</sup>

Nepal<sup>1</sup>

Netherlands<sup>1</sup>

New Zealand<sup>1</sup>

Nicaragua

Niger

Nigeria

Norway<sup>4</sup>

Pakistan<sup>1 4</sup>

Papua New Guinea

Paraguay

Peru

Philippines<sup>4</sup>

Poland<sup>1 2</sup>

Romania<sup>1 2</sup>

Russian Fed.

St. Kitts & Nevis<sup>3</sup>

St. Lucia<sup>3</sup>

St. Vincent & the Grenadines

Senegal

Seychelles<sup>3</sup>

Sierra Leone<sup>1</sup>

Slovak Rep.<sup>1 2 4</sup>

Slovenia

Solomon Is.<sup>1</sup>

Spain<sup>2</sup>

Suriname<sup>3</sup>

Swaziland<sup>1</sup>

Sweden<sup>4</sup>

Tajikistan

Tanzania

Thailand

Tonga<sup>3</sup>

Trinidad & Tobago

Tunisia<sup>1</sup>

Turkey

Turkmenistan

Tuvalu<sup>3</sup>

Uganda

Ukraine<sup>1 2</sup>

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1 2 9</sup>

United Kingdom<sup>1 10</sup>

United States

Uzbekistan

Venezuela<sup>1</sup>

Yemen (Aden)<sup>11</sup>

Yugoslavia<sup>4 12</sup>

Zambia

Zimbabwe

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> With reservation(s).

<sup>2</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>3</sup> See under country heading in the bilateral section for information concerning acceptance of treaty obligations.

<sup>4</sup> With statement(s).

<sup>5</sup> See note under CHINA (Taiwan) in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> CHINA is not a party to this treaty but has made it applicable to Hong Kong.

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to territories under the territorial sovereignty of the United Kingdom.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**WORLD BANK**

(See under FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS)

## WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

(See HEALTH)

## WORLD HERITAGE

Convention concerning the protection of the world cultural and natural heritage. Done at Paris November 23, 1972; entered into force December 17, 1975.

27 UST 37; TIAS 8226.

States which are parties:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Andorra  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bhutan  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil<sup>1</sup>  
Bulgaria<sup>1</sup>  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde<sup>2</sup>  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>3</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>1</sup>  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>4</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

France<sup>1</sup>  
Gabon  
Gambia  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>5</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kiribati  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Marshall Is.  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands<sup>6</sup>  
New Zealand<sup>7</sup>  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Niue  
Norway<sup>1</sup>  
Oman<sup>1</sup>  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papau New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Romania

Russian Fed.  
Rwanda  
St. Kitts & Nevis  
St. Lucia  
Samoa  
San Marino  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
South Africa<sup>8</sup>  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.<sup>2</sup>  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>9</sup>  
United Kingdom<sup>10</sup>  
United States<sup>1</sup>  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Vatican City  
Venezuela  
Vietnam  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>11</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>11</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>12</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

### NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> With reservation.

<sup>2</sup> With statement.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Hong Kong and Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

<sup>4</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>5</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> For the Kingdom in Europe, the Netherlands Antilles and Aruba.

<sup>7</sup> Extended to Cook Is. and Niue.

<sup>8</sup> With declaration(s).

<sup>9</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to the Isle of Man, Anguilla, Bailiwick of Jersey, Bermuda, British Virgin Is., Cayman Is., Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Is., St. Helena and dependencies, Turks and Caicos Is., and United Kingdom Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia on the Island of Cyprus.

<sup>11</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>12</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

**WORLD INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY  
ORGANIZATION**

(See INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY)

**WORLD  
METEOROLOGICAL  
ORGANIZATION**

Convention of the World Meteorological Organization, with related protocol. Done at Washington October 11, 1947; entered into force March 23, 1950.

1 UST 281; TIAS 2052; 77 UNTS 143.

Members:

Afghanistan  
Albania  
Algeria  
Angola  
Antigua & Barbuda  
Argentina  
Armenia  
Australia<sup>1</sup>  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Bahamas, The  
Bahrain  
Bangladesh  
Barbados  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Belize  
Benin  
Bolivia  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Brazil  
British Caribbean Territories  
Brunei  
Bulgaria  
Burkina Faso  
Burma  
Burundi  
Cambodia  
Cameroon  
Canada  
Cape Verde  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Chile  
China<sup>2,3</sup>  
Colombia  
Comoros  
Congo  
Congo, Dem. Rep.  
Cook Is.  
Costa Rica  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Croatia  
Cuba  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark<sup>4</sup>  
Djibouti  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.

Ecuador  
Egypt  
El Salvador  
Eritrea  
Estonia  
Ethiopia<sup>5</sup>  
Fiji  
Finland  
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia  
France<sup>6</sup>  
French Polynesia  
Gabon  
Gambia, The  
Georgia  
German Dem. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Germany, Fed. Rep.<sup>7</sup>  
Ghana  
Greece  
Guatemala  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Hong Kong  
Hungary  
Iceland  
India  
Indonesia  
Iran  
Iraq  
Ireland  
Israel  
Italy  
Jamaica  
Japan  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.  
Korea, Rep.  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyz Rep.  
Laos  
Latvia  
Lebanon  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Libya  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Mali  
Malta  
Mauritania  
Mauritius  
Mexico  
Micronesia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nepal  
Netherlands  
Netherlands Antilles (Curacao)<sup>8</sup>  
New Caledonia  
New Zealand  
Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria

Niue  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
Peru  
Philippines  
Poland  
Portugal<sup>9</sup>  
Qatar  
Romania  
Rwanda  
St. Lucia  
Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Rep.  
Slovenia  
Solomon Is.  
Somalia  
South Africa<sup>10</sup>  
Spain<sup>11</sup>  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tanzania  
Thailand  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>12</sup>  
United Arab Emirates  
United Kingdom<sup>13</sup>  
United States  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Vietnam, Socialist Rep.  
Western Samoa  
Yemen (Aden)<sup>14</sup>  
Yemen (Sanaa)<sup>14</sup>  
Yugoslavia<sup>15</sup>  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

Amendments:

April 11, 1963 (16 UST 2069; TIAS 5947).  
April 27, 1963 (16 UST 2073; TIAS 5947).  
April 11 and 26, 1967 (18 UST 2795; TIAS 6364).  
April 26, 1967 (18 UST 2800; TIAS 6364).  
April 28–May 25, 1975 (26 UST 2580; TIAS 8175).

NOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Extended to Norfolk Is.

<sup>2</sup> With reservation.

<sup>3</sup> Applicable to Macao. See note under CHINA in bilateral section.

## WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION (Cont'd)

<sup>4</sup> Including Greenland.

<sup>5</sup> See note under ETHIOPIA in bilateral section.

<sup>6</sup> Extended to French Guiana, French West Indies, Reunion, Valleys of Andorra, St. Pierre and Miquelon.

<sup>7</sup> See note under GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF in bilateral section.

<sup>8</sup> Also applicable to Aruba.

<sup>9</sup> Extended to all Portuguese territories.

<sup>10</sup> Extended to Namibia.

<sup>11</sup> Extended to African territories and Valleys of Andorra.

<sup>12</sup> See note under UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS in bilateral section.

<sup>13</sup> Extended to Falkland Is. and dependencies, Gibraltar.

<sup>14</sup> See note under YEMEN in bilateral section.

<sup>15</sup> See note under YUGOSLAVIA in bilateral section.

## WORLD WAR II

### (See also ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS; PEACE TREATIES; REPARATIONS; WAR CRIMINALS)

Agreement regarding Japan. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945.

59 Stat. 1823; EAS 498; 3 Bevans 1022.

Protocol of the proceedings of the Crimea conference. Signed at Yalta February 11, 1945; entered into force February 11, 1945.

3 Bevans 1013; *Foreign Relations: The Conferences at Malta and Yalta*, 1945, p. 975 ff.

Protocol of the proceedings of the Berlin conference. Signed at Berlin August 2, 1945; entered into force August 2, 1945.

3 Bevans 1207; *Foreign Relations: Conference of Berlin (Potsdam) 1945*, Vol. II, p. 1478 ff.

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States which are parties:

Union of Soviet Socialist Reps.<sup>1</sup>

United Kingdom

United States

NOTE:

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